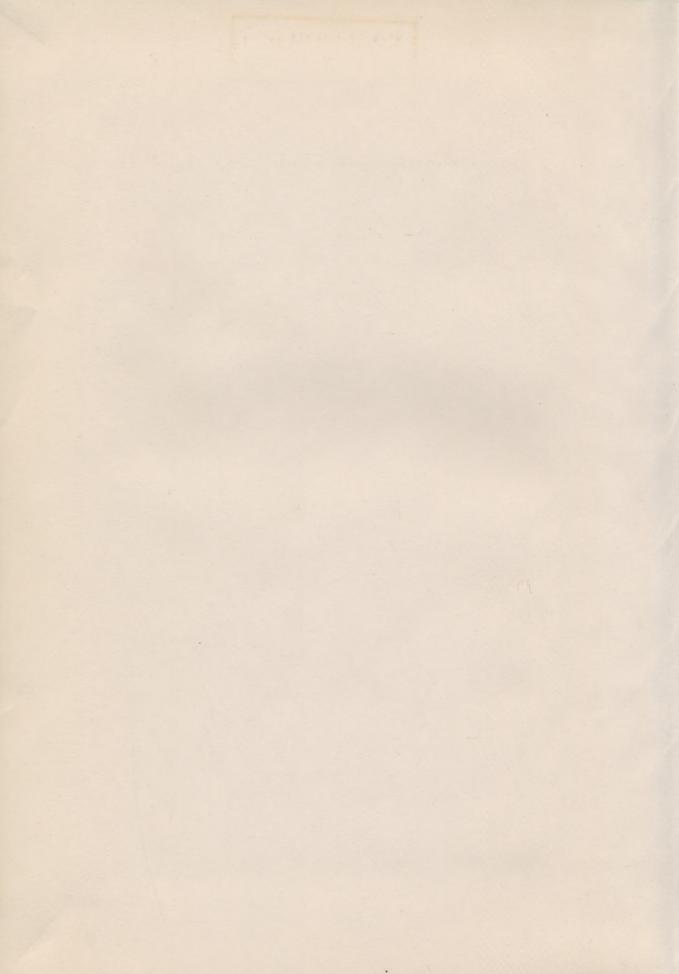
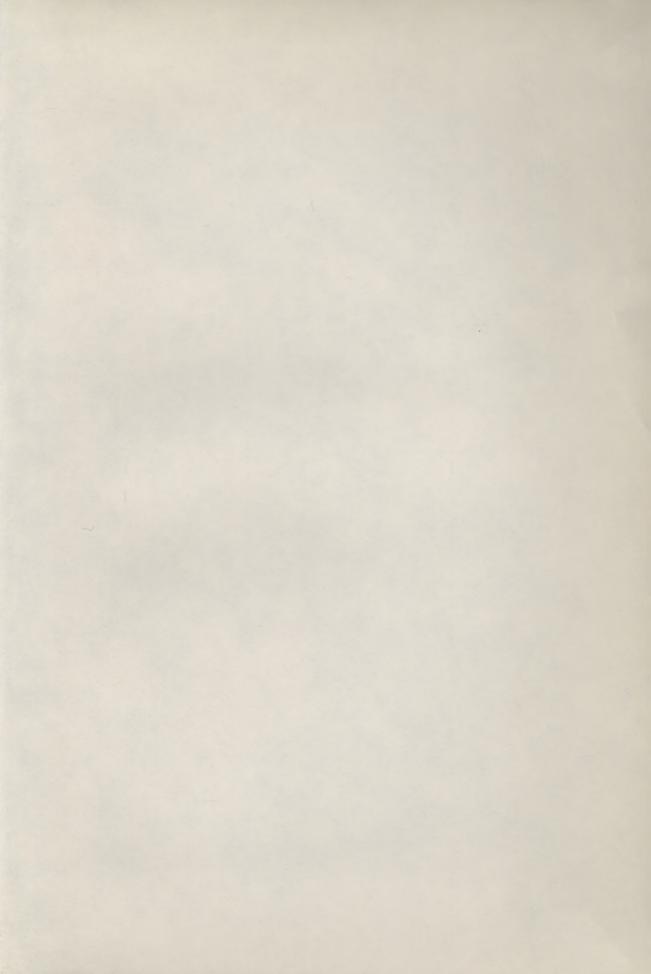


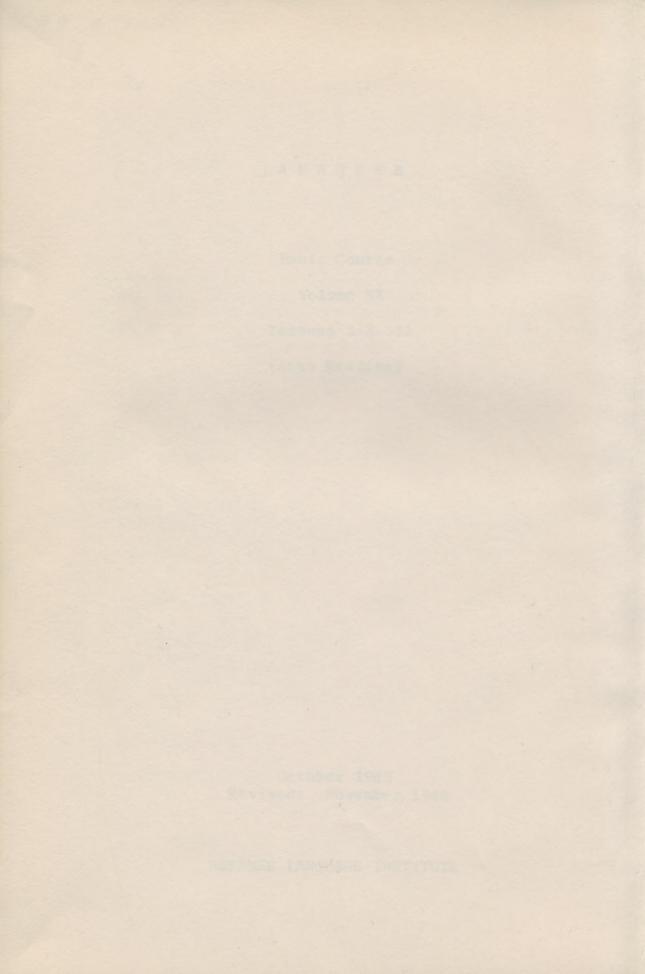


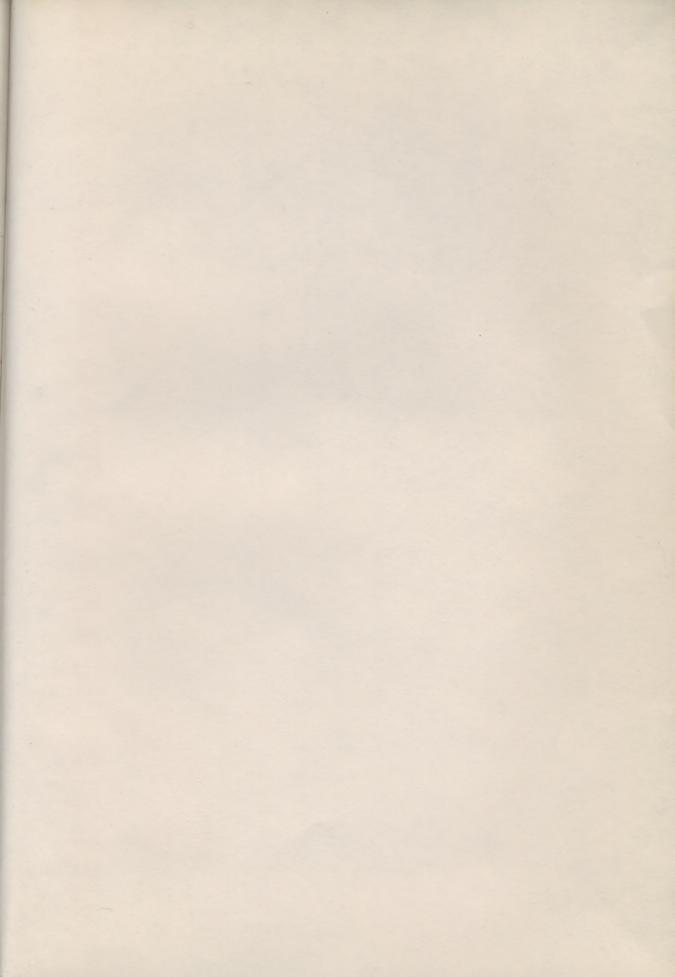
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The chief aim of the text beginning with Lesson 121 is to gradually build up a useful vocabulary concerning the subject matters that make up the Japanese people, their customs and habits, their land and the surrounding seas, their industries, and their philosophy. The aim, also, is to enable students to apply the basic sentence patterns under more sophisticated situations.

Students have been learning the technical aspects of the language until now. However, since a language is a total embodiment of the culture, the psychology, the climate, and all else that makes up the people who speak it, an attempt has been made here to supply area background situations, in narrative form, which is meant to be hints for conversation practice based on those facts. In these lessons, the students will not only find new expressions, but new facts of life which can be readily used in conversation practice.

A typical lesson consists of the following sections:

- A. Narration
- B. Audio-Lingual Drill
- C. Guide for Free Conversation

- D. Exercises in Writing System
- E. Cultural Notes
- F. Homework
- G. Word List

In many instances, since the Narration itself is self-evident, no Explanatory Notes may be necessary.

According to the lesson content, the typical daily instructional cycle will be as follows: The daily cycle begins with the last two hours of the day. Those two hours are used to introduce and practice new material which the students must study at home the same evening so that he may be able to work with it the following morning in the class.

# The Fifth Hour

In the fifth hour, the instructor will go through the Narration in the following manner. An instructor reads the narration slowly enunciating each word carefully and the students are to repeat after the instructor. The instructor will single out new words and ensure that students will learn to pronounce it correctly. The meaning of a new word or a new expression will be taught paraphrastically in the Japanese language. It is very

important that the word or the expression uttered must be meaningful to each and every student, especially during the introduction hour.

# The Sixth Hour

During this hour, the instructor introduces the new kanji appearing in the lesson which the students may learn to read and recognize its meaning. Idiomatic expressions, if any, will be singled out and explained. The remaining time will be utilized for sentence-by-sentence drill of the Narration.

# The First Hour

The instructor conducts Audio-Lingual drill based on the Narration, and clears up any questions based on the Narration.

# The Second and the Third Hour

These hours are to be utilized for intensive conversation practice. A guide is given in "A Guide for Free Conversation." Interpretation and interrogation exercises based on the subject matter covered may also be incorporated.

# The Fourth Hour

Exercises in Writing System. New kanji are introduced

in every lesson for the students to learn to write. These kanji are limited to the ones taught in the first nine years of school in Japan. The primary purpose of teaching kanji is to provide students with sufficient knowledge of the Japanese writing system so that they may, if an occasion requires, learn to read and write necessary kanji in a minimum of time and effort. Place names will appear in Kanji to facilitate their recognition in all publications. Some Kanji used in place names do not appear in the postwar dictionaries, but it is well for the students to learn to recognize them.

Besides what was covered in the daily cycle, each lesson contains a word list and the homework assignment. The Word List lists all the new words and expressions introduced in the lesson. Homework is also listed under the heading and directs students' attention to what must be accomplished at home. The students' first job at home is to study the Narration thoroughly and secondly, to read the Cultural Notes so that they may be able to carry on a sensible conversation.

New kanji are also to be studied. Students must also learn to write those kanji that are so selected under the "Exercises for Writing System." Students should work out

all the exercises, since this the best way to retain the writing system of the kanji introduced to date.

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# Narration

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# A. Narration, continued.

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### B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 地方自治というのは どんな事ですか.
- 2. 地方自治を行なう団体を何と言いますか
- 3. 地方公共団体にはでんなのがありますか。
- 4. 都道行果の長官を何く言いますか。
- 5。市町村の長を何と言いますか。
- 6. 区の場合はでうですか.
- 7. これらの長官はどんな風に選ばれますか。
- 8. 東京都の区長と外の市の区長はどうちがいますか。
- 9. 地方公共団体の議決機関は何ですか。
- 10。 地方公共団体の執行機関は何ですか.
- 11. 地方議会の議員はどんな風に選ばれますか.
- 12. 地方議会の議員の数はどんな風に決めますか。
- 13. 地方議会の議員の任期は何年ですか。
- 14. 地方議会では どんな事 きしますか。
- 15. 都道存果庁や市区)役所や町村役場では

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following in Japanese with your classmates.
- (1) Prefectural government
  - (2) City government
    - (3) A comparative study of local selfgovernment of the United States and that of Japan.
      - (4) Local self-government of your home state.

### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise
  - (1) Q: What is an organization that performs local self-government called?
    - A: 地方公共国体で言います。
  - (2) Q: What is the legislative organ of local public bodies?
    - A: それは地方議会です

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (3) Q: What is the executive organ of the local public bodies?
    - A: 県庁、市役所、区役所、町村役場 などです。
  - (4) Q: What does the local assembly do?
    - A: その地方だけに通用する条例や規則を定めたり、廃止したり、歳入歳出の予算を決めたり、決算報告を認めたりします。
  - (5) Q: How is the number of members in the local assembly determined?
    - A: 人口の数によって決められています。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI:

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765	12 13 14 附	サン	SAN: calculation; number  予算 yosan: budget  决算 kessan: settlement of account
(3)	See	ション あら	SON:
才寸	Les 39	むら	mura: village  木寸長 <u>sonchoo</u> : village master
72	See	セン	SEN:
记艺	Les 139	えら(ぶ)	era(bu): to elect; to select
決	See Les 139	ナツき(める)	KETSU: ki(meru): to decide; to resolve; to fix

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

# 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
定	See Les 109	テイ ジョウ さだ(める)	TEI: JOO: sada(meru): to stipulate; to lay down; to establish

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- 2. Exercise:
  - a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 決算報告を認めた。
  - (2) 議員は住民によって選ばれます。
  - (3) 地方議会は色々の規則を定めます。
  - (4) 村長は自分で予算を決めました。

### E. Cultural Notes

# 1. Local Self-Government

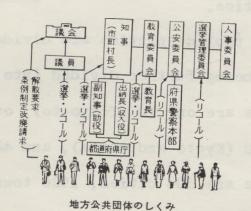
In contrast to prewar days, local government has been greatly strengthened by the provisions of the New Constitution. Article 92 provides that regulations concerning the organization and operation of local public entities shall be fixed by law in accordance with the principle of local autonomy. Article 93 provides that the chief executive officers of all local public entities as well as members of their assemblies shall be elected by direct popular vote within their communities. Moreover, local public entities have been granted far greater autonomy with respect to the management of their administrative and legislative activities.

The local public entities are divided into TO, DOO, FU, and KEN, being further divided into city, town, and village. There are one TO (Tokyo-to), one DOO (Hokkaidoo), two FU (Kyoto and Osaka), and 42 KEN. Contained in the above are 504 cities, 1920 towns, and 1310 villages (as of March 1958).

# E. Cultural Notes, continued.

The chief executive officers of all public entities and the members of the assemblies are elected directly by the local inhabitants. The local assembly has one chamber and is invested with authority for the enactment and abolition of regulations.

The inhabitants have the right to demand directly the enactment or abolition of regulations, supervision of business, dissolution of the assembly, and the dismissal from office of the members, head, and any other officer of the assembly, and the showing of recognition of the Institutions of Initiative, Referendum, and Recall.



### F. Homework

- 1. Study the Narration thoroughly and memorize the vocabulary.
- 2. Read the Guide for Free Conversation and do the exercises given.
- 3. Learn to read and write the new Kanji.
- 4. Read the Cultural Notes.

# G. Word List

地方自治	chihoo jichi	local self-government
住民	juumin	inhabitants
に反映する	(ni) han-ei suru	reflect; influence (v.i.)
土也 扩議 会	chihoo gikai	local assembly
代表者	daihyoosha	representatives
地方公共团体	chihoo kookyoo dantai	local public entities
市町村	shichooson	cities, towns, and villages
都道府県	todoofuken	Tokyo, Hokkaidoo, urban and rural prefectures
知事	chiji	governor
区長	kuchoo	headman of a ward
市長	shichoo	city mayor
町長	choochoo	town mayor
村長	sonchoo	village headman
助役	joyaku	assistant; deputy
議決機関	giketsu kikan	legislative organ
執行機関	shikkoo kikan	executive organ
県 庁	kenchoo	prefectural office
役場	yakuba	public office; office

# G. Word List, continued.

通用する	tsuuyoo suru	hold good; be applicable (v.i.)
条例定める	joorei sadameru	rules; regulations; laws and ordinances stipulate; provide lay down (v.i.)
歳 入	sainyuu	annual revenue
歳 出	saishutsu	annual expenditure
予算	yosan	budget
決算報告	kessan hookoku	statement of accounts; balance sheets
方 金十	hooshin	policy
市役所	shiyakusho	city hall
区役所	kuyakusho	ward office

# Narration

1" 文字を学び、学問が伝えられ あった貴族の間に学校が必要とされる様になった。 世になると、 H 本 ていま 武 三世紀の末ごろ、大和朝 家が勢 カを ると、そのころ政治上の支配者 持ち戦乱が起ったので 姓をか出 来 1 大陸 から

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#### Narration, continued. Α.

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# A. Narration, continued.



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#### B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 大和朝廷が出来たのはいつごろですか
- 2. そのころ政治上の支配者はだれでしたか。
- 3. なぜ貴族の間に学校が必要とされる様になりましたか。
- 4. 中世になるとだれが勢力をもっ様になりましたか。
- 5. なぜ貴族の学校がは30でしまいましたか。
- 6. 武象たちの学校とならんで、どんな学校がうまれましたか。
- 7. 十五世紀になって商業が発達して来ると、どうなりましたか。
- 8. 町人のために学校が出来て、そこで何を教えましたか。
- 9。この町人のための学校を何と言っていましたか。
- 10. 本当の民衆教育を実現させるために、どんな制度が考えられましたか。
- 11. 学制がしかれたのは何年ですか。
- 12. 全国に統一的な学校制度として何が出来ましたか。
- 13. それと同時に寺小屋はどうなりましたか。

- B. Audio-Lingual Drill, continued.
- 14. 国民が等しく小学校の義務教育を受ける様になったのは何年ごろですか。
- 15. 最初は就学率はどうでしたか。
- 16. 義務教育が目ざましい発達をとげたのはいつごろですか。
- 17. 義務教育年限が何年間に定められましたか。
- 18. それは何年でしたか。

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

#### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) The historical development of education in Japan.
  - (2) The development of the compulsory education system.
  - (3) Compare the compulsory education system of Japan and that of the U.S.

### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise:
  - (1) Q: In the early history of Japan, education was given only to whom?
    - A: 学問は貴族のためにだけ行なわれていました。
  - (2) Q: When the military clans became very powerful, what happened to the nobles: schools?
    - A: 貴族の学校はほろびて、武家たちの学校とならんで庶民の学校が出来ました。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (3) Q: When commerce developed around the 15th century, what happened?
    - A: 商業に従事する町人たちは、文字や計算を学が事が必要となりました。
- (4) Q: What did the children of merchants learn?
  A: 読み書きやそろばんの使い方を習いました。
- (5) Q: For what reason was the compulsory education system set up?
  - A: 本当の民衆教育を実現させるために、 義務教育の制度が考えられる様に なったのです。

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# D. Exercises in Writing System

## 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
766	たがた 18 17 13 175	HV.	KAN: simple; frugal
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768	された 700 大地大地大	ジュウ	SHUU: taking up; regarding JU: 就学(する) shuugaku(suru): entering a school (to enter school)
769	7 - 24 8 9 7 - 24 5 9 10 11	<u>1 '7</u>	RITSU: rate; proportion 就学率 shuugaku ritsu: rate of children entering school
学	See Les 25	ガ"ク まな(パ)	GAKU:  mana(bu): to learn; to study

# D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

### 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
华于	See Les 62	トウ ひと(しい)	TOO: class; sort; quality; etc.  hito(shii): equal
限	See Les 94	<u>ゲン</u> かぎ(3)	GEN: kagi(ru): to limit  中限 nengen: a period; term

D. Exercise in Writing System, continued.

### 2. Exercise:

a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.

- D. Exercise in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 義務教育の制度が出来て、国民は等以小学校で学が事になった。
  - (2) 最初は就学率が非常に低かった。
  - (3) 寺小屋というのは町人に、読み書き、そろばんを教える簡単な学校でした。
  - (4) 義務教育の年限が六年に定められたのは 1907年でした。

#### E. Cultural Notes

## 1. Historical Development of Education

Writing was introduced in the form of Chinese characters. The sons of nobility began to be educated and by 608 A. D. a Buddhist Temple of Learning was established at Nara. In the year 701, the Taihoo-ritsuryoo was completed. Under it each clan had its own school, operated on a tutorial basis and ordinarily restricted to the children of the ruling families. The first school for lesser nobles was established in Kyoto in 827.

During the period 1185-1603, marked by the rise of feudalism, almost continuous civil war, and economic decline, scholarship was subordinated to warlike pursuits, and military qualities were exalted above all else. Almost all clan schools were destroyed in the endless wars, and only the Buddhist priests preserved anything of intellectual education.

With the pacification of the country by the Tokugawa shooguns (1603-1868) came a revived interest in scholarship. Under the shoogun, education for children took two different forms. For children of warriors who constituted the ruling class there was a special institution where all manner of

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

military arts were taught. These institutions for warriors' children were set up in main cities and towns. The children of merchants, on the other hand, were taught at <a href="Terakoya">Terakoya</a> (temple schools) which were founded in the latter part of the Tokugawa Shogunate.

The Meiji Restoration in 1868 was the beginning of a new Japan. In place of the old education system, according to which the children of warriors and merchants were educated separately, was replaced by a modern system.

The Government Order on Education established a system of elementary schools, middle schools, and colleges and universities. With no social distinction, the schools were open to all.

#### F. Homework

- 1. Study the Narration thoroughly and memorize the vocabulary.
- 2. Read the Guide for Free Conversation and do the exercises given.
- 3. Learn to read and write the new Kanji.
- 4. Read the Cultural Notes.

### G. Word List

朝姓	chootei	Imperial court
支配者	shihaisha	ruler; master
中世	chuusei	the Middle Ages
勢力	seiryoku	power; influence; might
戦 乱	senran	wars, disturbances
1ま3 びる	horobiru	perish; be ruined; (v.i.)
Y ならんて <sup>*</sup>	to narande	ranked with; standing side by side
庶、民	shomin	common people; populace
町人	choonin	tradesman; merchant
文字	monji	character; ideograph
計算	keisan	calculation; computation
学术	manabu	learn (v.i.)
そろばん	soroban	abacus
読み書き	yomikaki	reading and writing
寺小屋	terakoya	temple school
開放する	kaihoo suru	throw open; open (v.t.)
入学する	nyuugaku suru	enter school (v.i.)

# G. Word List, continued.

民衆	minshuu	the masses; people
実現させる	jitsugen saseru	make = come true (v.t.)
義 務教育	gimu kyooiku	compulsory education
学制	gakusei	school system
小学校	shoogakkoo	grade school; grammar school
統一的な	tooitsuteki na	unified
小 学	shoogaku	grammar school
中学	chuugaku	middle school (old); junior high (new)
士農工商	shinoo-koo-shoo	classes of warriors, farmers, artisans and tradesmen
区 别	kubetsu	distinction
等しく	hitoshiku	equa11y
就学率	shuugakuritsu	precentage of school attendance
年限	nengen	length of time;
定める	sadameru	prescribe; stipulate (v.t.)

九四六年に学校制度に大きな変革が起った

学

教育(三)—

今日の制度

その お もなものを二三あげて見ると、 この新制度では学校系統が

Narration 高 まとめられた。つまり、六三三四制の学校体系になったのである。 本下之水、初等教育(小学校)六年、中等教育(中学校三年、 等学校三年)六年 高等教育(大学)四年の三つの段階に

\* 北 義務教育年限は六年から九年に 延長され、

実施られる様になった。 制高等学校では、選択教科制と言う

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### A. Narration, continued.

生 活 採节 自 ので られ 生 徒個人の趣味や教養の何上をめざして行なわれ、一週間 用され、必修科目 動が重要視される様になった。 分 徒 ある。 3, の将 0) 活 そして 目がが 来の進路にどって必要な クラブ治 が中心となって 自 自由な話し 由に選べる様 程 動 として の外 は教 15 生徒会、木 多く 合いによって 生 徒 9 にな 9 9 学 科力 選 1 日常中の問題が 習の発展として ームルーム た 木 その問 U x 目が設 ルー 自 ムの活 1700 クラブなど 題 を解決 個 ら 北 リ上げ また は 15 する

A. Narration, continued.

構多 運 谷 来 いい テニスクラブ、野球ケラブ、写真クラブなど 3 成されており、 ると、 7 竟 ラブに行く 面 生徒は 技 9 9 活 動 方 英 をは 校 会 以秩序 風 話 徒会は め、クラブ クラブ、 などが 通 功 紀十 常、全校生徒を を 理クラブ、裁 通じての 0) 大 七刀 Y な 文 化 仕 厚生など 活 0)

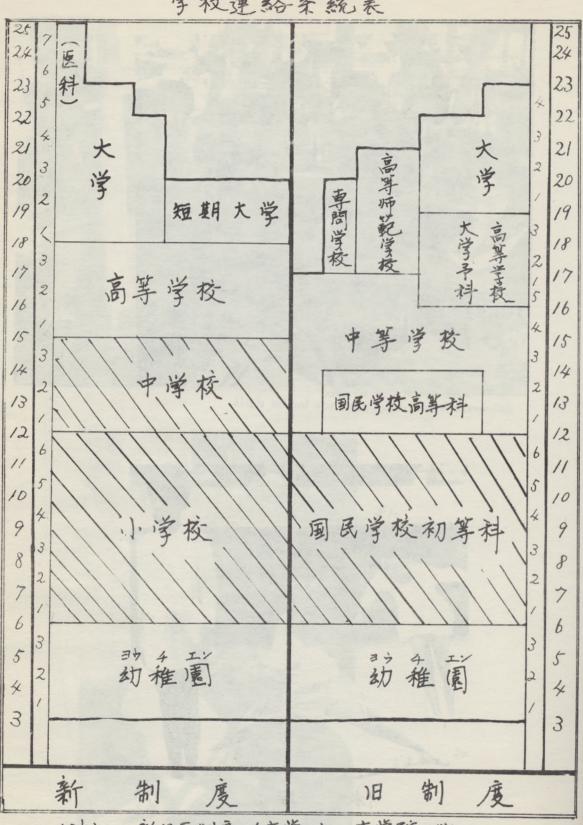
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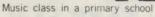
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学校連絡系統表



新田面制度とも大学の上に大学院がある。 (注)









High school students on a school excursion









### B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えなさい。

- 1. 学校制度に大きな変革が起ったのはいつですか。
- 2. この新制度で学校系統はどんなになりましたか。
- 3. 初等教育とは、どめな教育ですか。
- 4. 中等教育とは、Y"んな教育ですか。
- 5. 高等教育とは、どんな教育ですか。
- 6. 義務教育年限はでうなりましたか。
- 7. 男女共学はどうですか、
- 8. 選択教科制というのは、どんな事ですか、
- 9. 特別課程としてどんなものが出来ましたか。
- 10. ホームルームの活動というのは、どんな事ですか。
- 11. クラブ 活動というのは、どんな事ですか。
- 12. クラブ活動は何を目ざして行なわれるのですか。
- 13. クラブ活動では どんな事をしますか。
- 14. 生徒会はだれによって構成されていますか。
- 15. 生徒会では どんな事をしますか。

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) 6-3-3-4 school system.
  - (2) Special curriculum--student association, homeroom activity, and club activity.

### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise:
  - (1) Q: What is meant by 6-3-3-4 school system?
     A: それは小学校が六年、中学校が三年、高等学校が三年、大学が四年という意味です。
  - (2) Q: Besides the regular curriculum, what kind of special curriculum is given these days?
    - A: 生徒会、ホームルーム、クラブなどの 活動が重要視される様になりました。
  - (3) Q: What sort of activity is a homeroom activity?
    - A: それは生徒の日常の問題を取り上げて、 自由な話し合いによってその問題を解決 するのです。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (4) Q: What is a club activity?
    - A: 生徒は一週間一定の時間に英会話クラブ、物理クラブ、裁縫クラブ、テニスクラブ、野球クラブ、写真クラブなどと自分の属しているクラブ、へ行って、少くくも一時限をそれにあてるのです。
  - (5) Q: What is the purpose of a club activity?
    A: 生徒個人の趣味や教養の荷上を目ざして行なわれるのです。

## D. Exercises in Writing System.

# 1. KANJI

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
770	水料	<u></u>	<u>KA</u> : <u>kyooka</u> : <u>course</u> of study; curriculum
771	12 2	<u>デキ</u>	TEKI: suitable
遊	33-15-6	产牛 する	TEKI SURU: be suitable
772	"说	<u>&gt;</u>	SHI: looking; seeing; sight  重要視される juuyooshi sareru: important
773	水洪 承 承	コウかま(える)	KOO: construction kama(eru): to put one- self in a posture for to set up for to set up for corganization; composition (be organized of; be composed of)
774	淳	コウ あっ(い)	KOO: atsu(i):   koosei: public welfare

### D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

### 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radica1	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
何	Les Les 122	<u>コウ</u> む(く) む(かう)	KOO:   mu(ku): to turn; to look;   to face   mu(kau): to face; to go   toward   (回上   koo joo:   improvement

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

#### 2. Exercises:

a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.

から九年にのびまは、

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 家庭での教育が重要視される様になった。
  - (2) 自分の個性に適した科目を 選ぶ事が出来すす。
  - (3) 生徒会は全校の生徒をもって 構成されており、校内秩序、国紀、 衛生、厚生などの活動がおもな 仕事です。
  - (4) 教養の何上を目ざしています。

#### E. Cultural Notes

#### 1. The New Education System

With the enforcement of a new education law in 1947 the school courses were patterned after that of the United States. Under the new education system, the term of compulsory education was extended from 6 to 9 years, that is 6 years in primary schools and 3 years in junior high schools. There is another 3-year course in senior high schools, and a 4-year course in colleges or universities. In addition to the foregoing, there are 2-year course colleges, whereas medical students at universities are required to complete a 6-year course, as well as further 4-year postgraduate course for doctorate theses.

Besides these, there are 5-year course technical institutes that follow the secondary schools. There are at present 291 colleges and universities and 339 junior colleges in Japan (1964).

Primary schools, which number 22,677, and junior high schools, totaling 11,765, are usually coeducational, but some of the junior high schools are not. There are also a few women's colleges and universities, but all the men's

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

universities with a few exceptions now admit women students.

Due to the extremely high attendance ratio of children of school age, so-called illiteracy is practically nonexistent in Japan. With an aggregate total of 743,000 university students, Japan ranks among the leading nations in the world with regard to higher education facilities.

Many foreign students come to Japan each year to study in Japanese universities. Recently, students from many Asian countries are coming to Japan to receive training in industries and in many fields of science and technology.

Education for Japanese children is free and compulsory for six years of primary and three years of secondary school. English is widely taught as a secondary language beginning in the seventh grade. School sessions are usually from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on weekdays and until noon on Saturdays. The school year begins in April and ends in March each year. There is summer vacation in August and winter vacation during the New Year holidays.

Japanese children study much the same things as

American children. Admission to the three-year high school

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

is by competitive examination and a nominal tuition is charged. The recently liberalized education system is administered through local school boards and legislatures.

#### F. Homework

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- 4. Read the Cultural Notes.

#### G. Word List

変学初中まる

大三三四制 学校体系 延長する

男女共学 実施する

新 制 選択教科制

採用する以外的一个多种的人。

henkaku
gakkoo keitoo
shotoo kyooiku
chuutoo kyooiku
matomeru
roku-san-san-

yon-sei gakkoo taikei enchoo suru

danjo kyoogaku jisshi suru

sentaku kyooka-

shinsei

sei
saiyoo suru
hisshuu kamoku
sentaku kamoku
shinro

kosei

change; reform
school system
elementary education
secondary education
unify; coordinate
(v.t.)

G-3-3-4 system

extend; prolong (v.t.)

coeducation

bring into operation; take effect (v.t.)

new system
elective subject
system
adopt; use (v.t.)

adopt; use (v.t.)
required subject
elective subject
course; route; way
individuality;
personality

# G. Word List, continued.

自由に	jiyuu ni	free1y
課程	katei	course; curriculum
生徒会	seitokai	students: association
ホームルーム	hoomuruumu	homeroom (See Notes)
活動	katsudoo	activity
重要視される	juuyooshi sareru	be regarded as important (v.i.)
日常。	nichijoo no	daily; usual; ordinary
取り上げる	toriageru	take up (v.t.)
話し合い	hanashiai	discussion
解決する	kaiketsu suru	solve (v.t.)
学習	gakushuu	study; learning
個人	kojin	individua1
教養	kyooyoo	education; culture; refinement
目ざす	mezasu	aim at (v.t.)
一時限	ichijigen	one period
にあてる	ni ateru	allocate; devote (v.t.)
英会話7ラブ	ei-kaiwa kurabu	English conversa- tion club

# G. Word List, continued.

物 理	butsuri	physics
裁 縫	saihoo	sewing
全校	zenkoo	whole school
構成する	koosei suru	compose; organize (v.t.)
校内	koonai	within a school; interclass
秩序	chitsujo	order; discipline
展 紀	fuuki	discipline; public morals
美化	bika	beautification
厚生	koosei	public welfare
各部面の	kaku bumen no	of various aspect
を通じて	o tsuujite	through; via
運 動競技	undoo kyoogi	athletic sports
決定	kettei	decision; conclusion

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本人は目上の人や年上の人に該す時には

丁之ずな言

花水を

使

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日本人は

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Narration, continued. 依分 カ Y 月月 然とし 0) 次にそれを書きならべ 地 b 1< 位 九 马虫 13 1 本人の風 て守られる くな レス 7 前 様に K 1 俗習慣は戦後 ŧ ている独特の風俗習慣が ") のかい 男性以对する女性の地 17 ニっつ 3 か 15 ある。 高く 非 それは女性 3 位人 った。 とくつ下 また 汉 大に対 山 あ 3 する

風

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持

#### Narration, continued A.

事一

五 飯 を食べ始め 47 本 の家 を 82 3 には 前 には けれ カジ は VI ただきますして言い、 5 15 上

ID. な 日本人は たびくお土産のやり取 買って帰り、 時には

三、 日 た つまり手招 きする) のは 日

本 7" つま 1 另一 n 3 には さ 1 130 3

# A. Narration, continued.

七、 米国人は人の前で遠處なく大きな おじさん」あるいはおばさん」と言う。 13 本の子供たち 17 大人に挨物する時には 音を立ててハンケナで 知らない人

ちそう様でした」と言

はなをかむが、日本人ははなをかむ時には紙 を使って、出来る

だけ音を立てない様にする。

九 仲人を強して 日本では、男が結婚したい時か、親が平法に結婚させたい時 若野の 話をすすめて行 結婚する 15

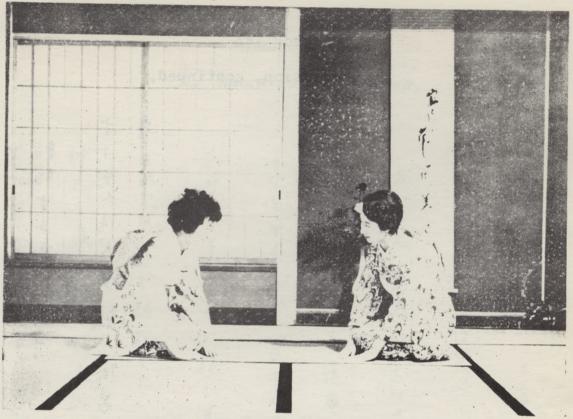
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い男女は見合いをして、おたがいに好きであれば

# A. Narration, continued.

十日本人は大変熱い風呂に入る。

Fig. 19 Greetings inside a Japanese room/



座敷で挨拶する時には、こんな風に畳の上に手をついて挨拶します。



身をまずて、おいぎします。

#### B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 日本の風俗習慣は戦後でうなりましたか。
- 2。戦後非常に強くなったものは何ですか
- 3. 男性に対する女性の地位はどうなっていますか、
- 4. 夫に対する妻の地位はどうなっていますか、
- 5。日本には依然として守られている独特の風俗習慣が沢山ありますか。
- 6. 日本人は挨拶する時にどうしますか。
- 7. 日本人は目上の人や年上の人に訪す時にはどうしますか。
- 8. 日本では人に別れる時にはどうしますか。
- 9. 日本では手をあげて、たてに小るのはどういう意味ですか.
- 10. 日本人はよくお土産のやり取りをしますか。
- 11. 日本の座敷による時には、どうしなければなりませんか。
- 12。 御飯を食べ始める時には不可く言いますか。
- 13. 食べ終った時には何と言いますか.
- 14. 米国人ははなきかな時には、どうしますか、日本人は
- 15. 日本では男が結婚したい時か、親が子供に結婚をなけれい時にはどうしますか。
- 16. 日本人は大変熱、風呂にはいりますか、

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

#### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics with your classmates in Japanese.
- (1) A comparative study of customs between the United States and Japan.
  - (a) Greetings
  - (b) Departing
  - (c) Talking
  - (d) Blowing one's nose
  - (e) Marriage

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise:
  - (1) Q: Did some of the customs change after the war in Japan?
    - A: 戦後男性に対する女性の地位、 製作対する妻の地位が以前より 高くなりました。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (2) Q: When the Japanese people exchange greetings, what do they do?
    - A: 身をまげておじぎをします。
  - (3) Q: When a Japanese man wants to get married or when the parents want to have their children get married, what do they do?
  - A: 仲人を通して結婚の話をすすめていきます。 結婚する前に若い男女は「見合い」をして、 たがいに好きであれば結婚する事にします。
    - (4) Q: When the Japanese people talk to their elders and their seniors, what do they do?
      - A: 年上の人や目上の人に話す時には が登な言葉を使います。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI

KANJI	Stroke Order	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
	& Radica1		
775	1-5	41	SAI:
事	32	<u> </u>	tsuma: wife
女	8 7	torang out a	10w 20
776	/ 3	シュ	SHU: defense
了	4	まも(3)	mamo(ru): to defend; to abide by
1	i)	是 丁年中 21/1	Control of the contro
zkadi	See	7 anager of	FU: man; male
夫	Les 51	<u>\$:, \tag{\tau} \tag{\tau} \tag{\tau} \tag{\tau}</u>	otto: husband
和 对 李维	# call control	(中国) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1	A PA AA
,	See	シン	SHIN:
身	Les 91	<u> </u>	mi: body; fresh; self
	At 教育	943 11 7 1 2 2 3 3 3 1	
7.1	See	~"") h to (h z)	BETSU: separate; another
7	Les 49	わか(れる)	waka(reru): to part with; to separate

# D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

### 1. KANJI

KANJI	Stroke Order &	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
	Radica1		and the second
	See	ティナョウ	TEI: CHOO: subdivision of a town; unit of length
	Les 44	Y 38 8	了学 teinei: polite
久	See Les 108	キュウ ク ひさ(しい)	KYUU: KU: hisa(shii): long time; eternal
			久しfor) hisashiburi: after a long interval
这	See Les 19	エンオン くか(い)	EN: ON: too(i): far; distant 虚
立日	See Les 64	オンイン・カ・ソ	ON: IN: oto: sound; noise  音をたる oto o tateru: to make noise
卖、	See Les 89	ネツ あっ(い)	NETSU: heat; fever atsu(i): hot

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

#### 2. Exercises:

- a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.
- (1) 高等学校では自分の一つセイ

出来すす。

される様になって来ました。

(3)生徒会は全校の生徒をもって

\_\_\_\_されております。 コウセイ

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- (4) クラブ 活動は教養、趣味の
- (5) 生徒会は校内の衛生、美化、風紀、\_\_\_\_などの各部方面の治動をはじめました。
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 大 に 対 する 妻 の 地位が 少し高くなりました。
  - (2) 別れる時には 身をまげて おいぎをします。

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- (3) 日本人は熱いお茶を飲む時には遠遠なく音を立てて飲みます。
  - (4)人の家へ人し振りに行く時にはお上産を持って行きます。
  - (5) 日本には依然として一字られている独特の風俗習慣があります。
  - (6) 日本人は<u>目上</u>の人に話す時には 丁寧な言葉を使います。

#### E. Cultural Notes

#### 1. Marriage

Although there are some love marriages and in recent years these have been increasingly numerous, most marriages are arranged by friends of the families who act as gobetweens of each party after careful inquiries have been made as to the suitability of the proposed match. There still exists an idea in Japan that marriage is the beginning of love and not the end of it. Before a definite settlement is reached, a meeting of the prospective bride and bridegroom is arranged, and if this proves satisfactory the bridegroom's parents then send YUI-NOO, or betrothal presents, consisting of fresh fish, sake, and an obi (sash), or money for the purchase of one.

A day or two before the wedding the bride's trousseau, bedding, etc., placed in a TANSU (chest of drawers) and NAGA-MOCHI (long chest somewhat similar to a hope chest) are sent to the bridegroom's house. On the wedding day the bride, accompanied by her go-between and his wife, arrives at the bridegroom's house in the evening with a present for the bridegroom. The bride, with her hair dressed in the style of bunkin-takashimada, generally wears three

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

long-sleeved robes, worn one over the other, the outer being of black crepe silk with designs of flowers and birds of auspicious significance, and the inner two of pure white silk. She is welcomed and taken to the parlor, where the bridegroom is waiting, and there immediately takes place the ceremony of SAN-SAN-KUDO (three-three are nine times), when the bride and bridegroom drink three times out of three different sake cups, by which they pledge their marriage vows. According to Japanese belief "three" means "good luck;" "SAN-SAN-KUDO" signifies, therefore, the wish for a happy union. As a matter of fact, however, the cup is generally only placed to the lips, although sometimes a sip may be taken. After this ceremony, the bride changes her ceremonial robes for those of scarlet or some other bright color and meets the parents and relatives of the bridegroom at a banquet. Formerly, married women blackened their teeth but this custom has now been abandoned. In large cities it is now the fashion to have the wedding ceremony performed at a shrine; for instance, in Tokyo at the Meiji Shrine, before holding the wedding banquet at a hotel or restaurant.

#### F. Homework

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#### G. Word List

男 性	dansei	ma1e
夫	otto	husband
妻	tsuma	wife
张 火17	izen to shite	still; as it was before
宇る	mamoru	observe (v.t.)
書きならべる	kakinaraberu	enumerate (v.t.)
身	mi	body
争をまける	mi o mageru	bend one's body (v.i.)
目上の人	meue no hito	one's superiors; one's seniors
年上の人	toshiue no hito	elders; seniors
31 れる	wakareru	part company with (v.t.)
手招きする	temaneki suru	beckon (v.t.)
土產	miyage	souvenir; present
久し振りに	hisashiburi ni	after a long time (interval, silence, absence)
音を立てる	oto o tateru	make a sound (noise) (v.t.)
すなをかむ	hana o kamu	blow the nose (v.t.)
中人	nakoodo	go-between; match-maker

### G. Word List, continued.

見合い miai marriage meeting M 名にはいる furo ni hairu take a bath (v.t.) 限名 furo bath

Narration 十四、 十三、 十二 数を数える時には親指から始めて人とし指、中指、くすり指、 あて名を書く時には県又は市の名前から始める。 姓节 名を書いたり、言ったり する時には姓が 最初 に来

風俗習慣 (三)

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れから今度は小指をあげてた、くすり指をあげて七

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#### A. Narration, continued.

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# Narration, continued.

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七刀 北

四月 イカン 11 う 風 一日のなり になって 来 あ 3 3 輸《 出 217 1-11

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# A. Narration, continued.

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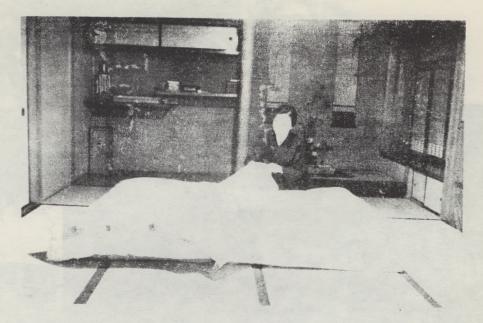
草花はあまり植え



自動車・バスなどの乗り物は道の左側を通る



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終

東京都文京巴神田神俱町

三浦ョシ子

手

「一里」

五月一日

少山沙郎横

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#### B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 日本では自動車、自転車、バスなどの乗り物は道のでちら側を通りますか。
- 2. 姓名を書いたり、言ったりする時には姓と名前とで、ちが最初に来ますか。
- 3. あて名を書く時には何から始めますか。
- 4. 指で数を数える時にはどんなにしますか。
- 5. 日本人は人の前で感情をよく顔にあらわしますか。
- 6. 米国ではでんな日が不吉な日ですか。
- 7. 日本ではでんな数が不言しされていますか、
- 8。 関わなどに使う品物はその数が十次下の場合にはどうですか。
- 9. 食事などの時、何か切った物を出す場合に三切れ出しますか。
- 10. なせ"三切れ出しませんか。
- 11. 日本では茶のみなどの一そろいの知物は何的ですか。

#### B. Audio-Lingual Drill, continued.

- 12. 輸出品の場合はどうですか。
- 13. 日本の庭はどんなですか。
- 14. 日本では ねる時には どうしますか。

(2) Name and address.

(3) Consting numbers with figurers.

(4) Taluake meakens (3)

(3) A set of things to be used for a tresent

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C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

#### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese making a comparison with that of the United States.
  - (1) Vehicle traffic.
  - (2) Name and address.
  - (3) Counting numbers with fingers.
  - (4) Unlucky numbers.
  - (5) A set of things to be used for a present.

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise:
- (1) Q: What day is considered as an unlucky day in the United States?
  - A: 米国では十三日の金曜日が不吉な 日とされています。
- (2) Q: When you give a set of articles for a present in Japan, usually how many things does a set contain?
  - A: その数が十以下の場合には奇数を使います。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (3) Q: How do most Japanese sleep?
    - A: おし入れからかとんを出して、それを置の上にしいて、その上にねます。朝起きてから床をあげす。
  - (4) Q: What side of the road do vehicles travel in Japan?
    - A: 自動車、自転車、バスなどの乗り物は 道の左側を通ります。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI:

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	木厂	See	かす"	kazu: numeral; number kazo(eru): to count
	女人	Les 78	か そ"(える)	RAZO(ETU). to count
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D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.
- (1) \_\_\_\_ が \_\_\_ に 詰す時には

ティネイ な 言葉を使います。

- (2) 日本では \_\_\_\_ れる時に \_\_\_ をまげて
  - (3) \_\_\_\_いお茶。
  - (4) お \_\_\_\_\_ を 買って帰らなければならない。
  - (5) \_\_\_\_なく沢山食べてください。

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- (6) 大きな\_\_\_\_ を立てて食べます。
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 日本には色々の迷信が行なわれています。
  - (2) 日本人は自然を愛する国民です。
  - (3) 住所姓名をはっきり書いてください。
  - (4) 指で数を数える時にはどうしますか。

#### E. Cultural Notes

#### 1. Unlucky numbers

To the Japanese, thirteen is not an unlucky number. An expression like "Friday, the 13th," conveys no meaning to the average Japanese. But there is a superstition about the use of the cardinal number "four" or rather its Japanese equivalent, "shi." This is because the Japanese word for "four" is a homonym of the word "death." Japanese hospitals have no No. 4 ward. For the same reason, visiting a family on the fourth of the month to congratulate them on the birth of a child is sedulously avoided.

## 2. Sets of things

In the West, things are usually counted by the dozen; a set of things belonging together, like a tea set, contains one dozen or half a dozen pieces. In Japan, things come in sets of five or sets of ten, for example, teacups for five persons or trays for ten persons.

### e. Even and Odd Numbers

Gifts are customarily presented in odd numbers. when there are less than ten. In fact, old-fashioned

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

people carefully avoid making gifts of even numbers because of some old superstitious belief. But ten being the Japanese dozen, there is no objection to such figures as ten, twenty, thirty, forty, etc. Some articles such as pencils and bottles of beer, however, are often sold and bought by the dozen even in Japan.

#### 4. Writing letters

Letters are usually written vertically beginning at the right-hand top corner. The body of a letter comes first, then the complimentary closing, the name of the sender, the date, and the name of the addressee. The envelope is superscribed, also in vertical columns, with the address and name of the addressee. On the back, to the left of the lower part, is written the address and the name of the sender of the letter with the date written just above. A formal Japanese letter is written on a roll of white Japanese paper (about 8 inches wide) with Chinese ink and brush. When a letter is written this way, it is folded or rather rolled up from the left-hand end, and then put in the envelope.

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

Naturally enough, a Japanese envelope is oblong, usually 8.2 by 3.5 inches, with the flap at one end. Envelopes of white Japanese paper of fine quality are generally used for formal letter writing.

For everyday correspondence, however, a Westernstyle writing pad is used instead of a roll of paper. Both
Western-style and Japanese-style envelopes are used for
this purpose. Pen and ink are used instead of Chinese ink
and brush. Postcards are used in the West, but it is not
considered good from to use postcards for polite correspondence.

## 5. Counting Change

Suppose you buy 600 yen worth of articles at a store and pay for it with a thousand yen note. The shop-keeper will say to you, "1,000 yen minus 600 yen is 400 yen," and hand you 400 yen as your change.

## 6. ---<u>HIN(PIN)</u>

Suffix HIN(PIN) is used with numerals to give the meaning of "item, piece, course, etc." For example:

IPPIN - one piece

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

two piece NIHIN SAMPIN three piece YOMPIN four five GOHIN ROPPIN six NANAHIN seven HACHIHINeight KYUUHIN nine JIPPIN ten

### 7. --- KIRE

KIRE as a suffix used with numerals gives the meaning of "piece, slice."

### Examples:

HITO-KIRE	-	one slice
FUTA-KIRE	- 4.5 B	two slices
MI-KIRE	ter is	three slices
YO-KIRE	(MIN)	four "
ITSU-KIRE	ter is	five "
MU-KIRE	T THE	six "
NANA-KIRE	-	seven "

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

YA-KIRE - eight slices

KU-KIRE - nine "

TO-KIRE - ten "

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## G. Word List

左侧门	hidarigawa	left-hand side
姓 名	seimei	full name
女生 一种	sei	surname
親指	oyayubi	thumb
小指	koyubi	small finger
指を折る	yubi o oru	bend one's finger
くすり指	kusuriyubi	ring finger
手まね	temane	gesture; signs
他人	tanin	unrelated person; stranger; others
不吉な	fukitsu na	unlucky; ominous
送信。如此如此	meishin	superstition
FC manual supper	shi	death
きらう	kirau	dislike
滅 室	byooshitsu	sickroom; ward;
)ス 下	ika	below; less than
奇数	kisuu	odd number
七刀った 均	kitta mono	things which are cut
たくあん	takuan	pickled radish
三切れ	mikire	three slices (See

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## G. Word List, continued.

争切れ	mi kire	cut the flesh
茶のみ	chanomi	teacup
23 NO	soroi no	set; uniform
-4311	hito soroi	one set
五部	gohin	five pieces
輸出品	yushutsuhin	export goods
愛 する	aisuru	1ove
不規則	fukisoku	irregular
草花	sooka; kusabana	flowers; flowering plants
床をあげる	toko o ageru	put bedding away
人さし指	hitosashi-yubi	index finger
中指	nakayubi	middle finger

## A. Narration

お祭の一つや二つない月は 日 本ほど祭日の多い国は世界でもあまりないだろう、 まとんで ない 今その お ŧ な

ものをあげて見よう・

一月一日の元日、一月十五日の成人の日、三月二十一日の春分の日、 次の十一 は全国的の祭日として執行され ている。そ 北 は

ID 月二十九日の天皇誕生日、 五月三日の憲法記念日、五月五日の

子供の日、九月十五日の老人の日、九月二十三日の秋分の 十月十日の体育日、十一月三日の文化の日、十一月二十三日 日、 9

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A. Narration, continued.

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## A. Narration, continued.

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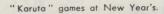
11) 土 曜 日 15 行 年 な われ、花火の 事の ーつ 打 7" ち上げが呼物 3 の一つ 18 x 1 月 な 0) 月 9



In May, it is Boys Festival time.



When Flying Carp pennants fly.

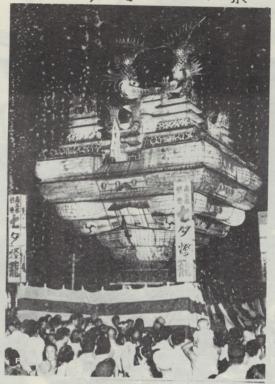


"Kakizome" calligraphy at New Year's Day.





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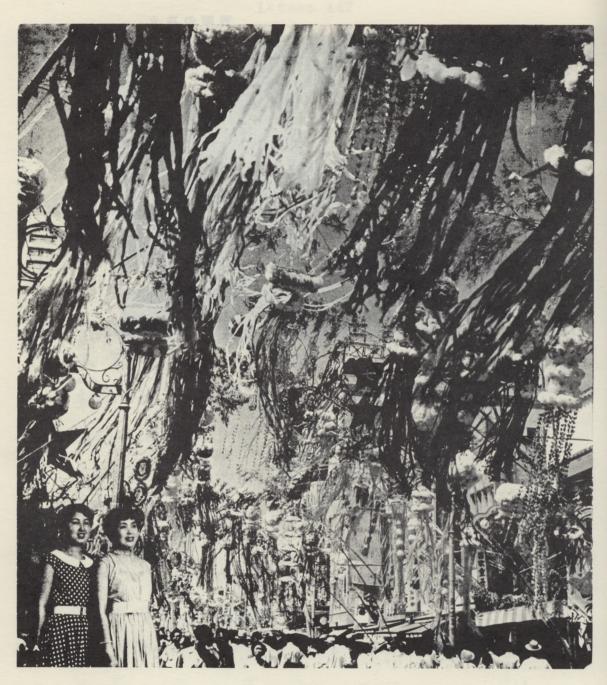
Awa odori dance in Tokushima



which is the holiday of holidays, you will often see girls in beautiful kimono engaged in their traditional holiday pastime "hanetsuki," a badminton-like game played with battledores and shuttlecocks. Japanese women reserve their best kimono for special occasions. During the New Year,



ひな祭



仙台の七月祭

両国の花火



萬田川の川開き

## B. Audio-Lingual Drill

## 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 日本には祭日が多いですか。
- 2. 全国的の祭日として義行されているものを十一言ってください(十一祭日)。
- 3. 元日には朝飯に何を食べて、何を飲みますか。
- 4. お正月のお祝いは大抵何日続きますか。
- 5。年始にまわる時には何と言いますか。
- 6. 五節句というのは何ですか、言ってください。
- 7. 桃の節句は普通何と呼ばれていますか。
- 8. その日には どんな事をしますか。
- 9。しょうぶの節句は普通何と呼ばれていますか。
- 10. その日には どんな事をしますか。
- 11. おぼんはいつですか、
- 1.2。 その日には どんな事をしますか。
- 13。隅田川の川開きはいってですか。
- 14。 その日にはどんな事をしますか。

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- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise
- 1. Topics:
  - a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
    - (1) The Nine Festivals
    - (2) The Five Annual Festivals

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise
  - (1) Q: What is the most important day for the Japanese people?
    - A: 元日です。
  - (2) Q: What do they do on New Year's Day?
    A: 元日の朝 おくそを飲み、ぞうにを食べすす。 大人は年始にまわります。
  - (3) Q: What is the "Obon Festival?"
    A: 陰暦レ月ナニ、ナ四、十五日の三日間に行なわれる仏事で、昼は墓参りをし、夜ははがんおどりをして、にぎわいます

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (4) Q: What is the "River Festival" on the Sumida River?
  - A: それは七月下旬に行なわれる年中 行事の一つで、花火の打ち上げが 呼物の一つになっています。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

## 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
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779	1/12	<u>ネン</u>	NEN: thinking; idea;
1	132	the state of	praying
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100	,16	2 31 6 - 6	commemoration day;
	70		anniversary
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三旬十			thanks; appreciation
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大	8 7 10 10	is the "Obo	墓参り hakamairi:
上	7,1		visiting grave
	13	7 7	74
		41	SAI: festival
172	See	まつ(3)	matsu(ru): to enshrine;
75			deify
111	Les 111		祭日 saijitsu: holiday;
			festival day

## D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

## 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
元	See Les 33	ケッンもと	GEN: GAN: moto: origin; root  ganjitsu: New Year's Day
春	See Les 25	シュンはる	SHUN: haru: spring  春分 shumbun: vernal equinox
秋	See Les 25	シュウあき	SHUU: aki: autumn   於分 shuubun: autumnal equinox
开乡	See Les 83	ケイ ギョウ かたち かた	KEI: GYOO: katachi: shape; figure kata: model; form  人 升少 ningyoo: dol1

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

#### 2. Exercises:

- a. Write the underlined parts in Kanji.
- (1) 日本人は自然を\_\_\_\_する国民です。
- (2) 日本人は指で \_\_\_\_ を \_\_\_ えます。
  - (3) \_\_\_\_\_ をはっきり

書いてくだざい。

が、行なわれています。

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 日本の十一祭日は元日、成人の日、 春分の日、天皇誕生日、憲法記念日、 子供の日、老人の日、秋分の日、体育日、 文化の日、勤労感謝の日です。
  - (2) ひな祭には女の子は美いひな人形をかざって、その前で面白く遊びます。
  - (3) おぼんの時には墓参りをします。

#### E. Cultural Notes

### 1. Tanabata Matsuri (Star Festival)

This festival, perhaps the most romantic of all annual functions, owes its inception to a popular belief that two lovely stars Kengyuu (Altair) and Shokujo (Vega or Weaver Star), which are set apart on either side of the Milky Way, are said to have their joyous union on that single night of each year. The most usual way of celebrating this festival, particularly by young people, is by making offerings of melons, peaches, pears, and cakes to the stars in honor of their happy union. These offerings (usually made of paper) are hung on the innumerable branches of a bamboo which is set up in the garden. The bamboo is also adorned with long narrow strips of paper of various colors, on which are written poems associated with the romantic legend.

### 2. Bon Festival

It has been observed yearly in Japan on July 13,

14, and 15 by Buddhist families ever since the introduction
of that faith from China. It is a reunion of the living
with the spirits of the dead, a season of kindliness and

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

regard for the dead and of spiritual meditation. Its

purpose is to perpetuate the memory of ancestors, to stimulate

ancestor-worship and filial piety, and to serve as a

reminder to those who observe the festival of what their

forefathers have done for them.

At the graveyards, the 13th is a day of pious devotion to family ancestors and much incense is burned. As darkness sets in, more and more families arrive at the gravesides to invite the spirits to visit their old homes and to escort them thither. White lanterns are lighted throughout the cemetries.

The Bon Odori (Bon Dance) is another feature of Obon. It is the community dance usually held on the last night of Obon to celebrate the return of the spirits of the dead. It is best seen in the country districts, where it is the most delightful event of the year for the young folks who gather at the grounds of the local shrine or temple and dance until late in the night. Dances and songs differ according to districts and symbolize their respective local traditions. Tooro-nagashi or lantern

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

floating is the picturesque ending to the Obon service. To guide the ancestral spirits back to the other world, little floats are lighted with candles and floated down rivers or on the sea. Hundreds and thousands of such lighted floats are set off at one place and the people eagerly watch them float down the river or carried by the wind far away from the shore.

#### 3. Shichi-go-san

A beautiful festival held on November 15 is the "Shichi-go-san," literally "Seven-five-three." On that day, parents with boys or girls of three years of age, boys of five, and girls of seven take them to visit the local shrine to express their thanks and gratitude to the tutelary deity that their children have reached these ages safely and to invoke future blessings.

## 4. Hana Matsuri (Buddha's Birthday)

The birthday of Shaka-muni, the founder of Buddhism, is celebrated throughout Japan on April 8. Every temple of note observes the ceremony of Kambutsu-e, or

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

"Baptizing Ceremony of Buddha," which consists mainly in pouring "sweet tea" from tiny ladles over a small statue of the infant Buddha as an expression of devotion, and then drinking the tea.

#### 5. Kawa-biraki

This is an ancient festival more in the nature of a carnival and it is held on the water usually on the third Saturday of July. In Tokyo it takes place on the Sumida River and is known as the "function for opening the Sumida River."

This festival has no religious significance, being merely designed to attract people to the river to enjoy the cool evening breezes and to stimulate the business of the restaurants, tea houses, etc., located there, under whose auspices it is held. One feature of the attraction is a display of fireworks. Boats lighted with scores of lanterns, some of them carrying geisha, singing and playing samisen, float idly on the river, presenting a picturesque scene.

Thousands of people line the banks of the river and for miles around, the roofs of the houses and other places from

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

which the scene can be viewed are crowded with spectators.

#### 6. WAKANA or NANAKUSA NO SEKKU

The seventh day of January is known as Nanakusa (seven herbs) because of the special dish served on that day, a rice-gruel seasoned with Nanakusa, or seven kinds of early herbs.

### 7. Special New Year's Food and mo bish at the bas law maso a

Special food is eaten during the New Year holidays, the first meal on New Year 's Day being a great event. The special dish is ZOONI, a sort of broth containing MOCHI (rice-cakes) and vegetables. ZOONI is as imperative during the New Year holidays as is rice on any other day of the year. Many other delicacies are served, including KAZUNOKO (herring roe), which literally means "numerous children"; black beans, because the Japanese name for them (MAME) is pronounced in the same way, though written differently, as another Japanese word meaning "robust"; hulled dried chestnuts (KACHIGURI), to denote success, inasmuch as the word KACHI means "victory or triumph"; dried seaweed (KOMBU)

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

for happiness; the lotus root, the lotus being a sacred plant which, though growing in muddy water, has its stems going straight upwards and bearing a pure white flower.

Besides the food mentioned, a ceremonial drink, TOSO, is served at this time in the belief that it possesses a preventive power against sickness in general. TOSO is a sweet SAKE(MIRIN) flavored with cassia bark and other spicy ingredients. MOCHI, a kind of rice-paste, made into flat, round or square cakes of many sizes, is eaten throughout the holidays.

## F. Homework

- 1. Study the Narration thoroughly and memorize the vocabulary.
- 2. Read the Guide for Free Conversation and do the exercises given.

special dish is 200NI, a sert of broth containing MCCHI

- 3. Learn to read and write the new Kanji.
- 4. Read the Cultural Notes.

# G. Word List

祭 Seach blosses issue	saijitsu	national holiday; festival
執行する	shikkoo suru	hold; perform
元 日 Invited int	ganjitsu	New Year's Day
成人	seijin	adult
春分の日	shumbun no hi	Vernal Equinox Day
記念日	kinembi	commemoration day; anniversary
秋分の日	shuubun no hi	Autumnal Equinox Day
勤労感謝の日	kinroo kansha no hi	Labor Thanksgiving Day
お、Y そ	otoso	spiced sake
Ron Festival: Fesst of Lantolto "Y	zooni	rice cakes boiled with vegetables
年始 bool so assul	nenshi	New Year's call
明けまれな目でとう	akemashite omedetoo	a Happy New Year
今年も相変らずり	kotoshi mo aikawarazu doozo yoroshiku	I beg you will continue to favor me this year.
ip o seld stemunik	sekku	annual festival; fete
若菜の節句	wakana no sekku	Festival of Early Herb
勤労	kinroo	labor; personal service

## G. Word List, continued.

感謝	kansha	thanks; gratitude
桃の節句	momo no sekku	Peach blossom feast
しよう A Toland ablod	shoobu	Iris
七夕祭	tanabata matsuri	Star Festival
菊 yad xoninpa isnxeV	kiku	chrysanthemum
ひな祭	hina-matsuri	Doll Festival
ひな人形	hina ningyoo	do 11
かざ。る	kazaru	decorate; exhibit
たんごの節句	tango no sekku	Boy's Festival
CNOIS")	koi nobori	paper carp
rice cakes bolies with vegetables	Obon	Bon Festival; Feast of Lanterns
陰 曆 www.www	inreki kdaman	lunar calendar
14 For well years s	butsuji omedetoo	Buddhist mass; Buddhist service
差参り	hakamairi	visit to a grave
ほん おと"り	Bon Odori	Bon Dance
数知知日野	kazu shirenu hodo	innumerable; count- less number of
川開き and lavides 4	kawa-biraki	river fete
年中行事	nenjuu gyooji	annual events

## G. Word List, continued.

花火	hanabi	fireworks
打ち上げで多物	uchiage yobimono	display; send up; shooting up attraction; highlight; special feature
老人の日	roojin-no-hi	Senior Citizens' Day
体育日	taiikubi	Physical Education Day

## A. Narration

などに独 (人形浄瑠珠)、歌舞伎日本の演劇には 、田舞台で演じられ、仮面を使って、脚本、音楽、量能は日本の演劇では最も古いもので、屋根能は日本の演劇では最も古いもので、屋根 x が新新派新 てうたい」の事である。 新国劇、軽演劇、歌舞伎、近代劇 古 少女歌り 家了中 (宝塚、松 楽演技 根

## Narration, continued.

人好

芝居である。

明治時代に從来あった歌舞伎 され 味線、はやしがこれをつかさでる。 ているものである。最好技 歌舞伎は三百年の歴史 派というのは現在行なわれている の伴奏 を持つもので、最も大衆に為又 と対立して発生し、歌野枝 は長明又は浄瑠 0) 43.

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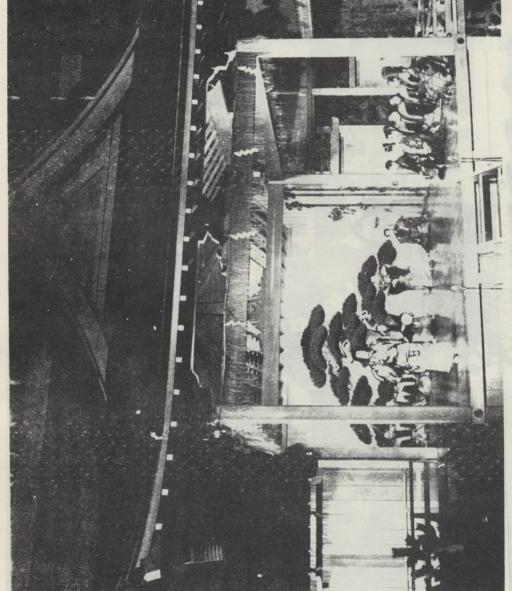
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的なものである。狂言

## A. Narration, continued.

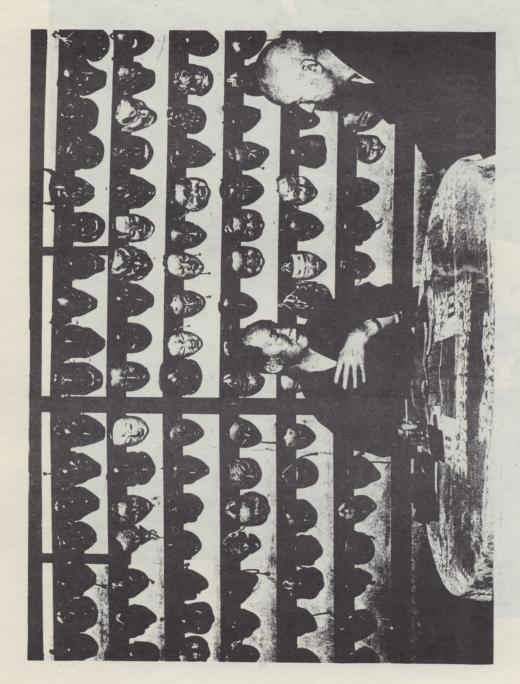
日 15 7" 上 よっ 沁 15 1 たものである。 出 来たもので、日本の歌 t 3 シェッ 派 と俗称され う のしま 国 割ずは 9 人 様な D n 1< 沢田正二郎 ٢., 1 11 ラマ 西 夜\* 3 て"も 洋のドラマ 1 カン ら西 0) れば新 Y L 山 长 日本 した ŧ でも 0) 团



Noh Play



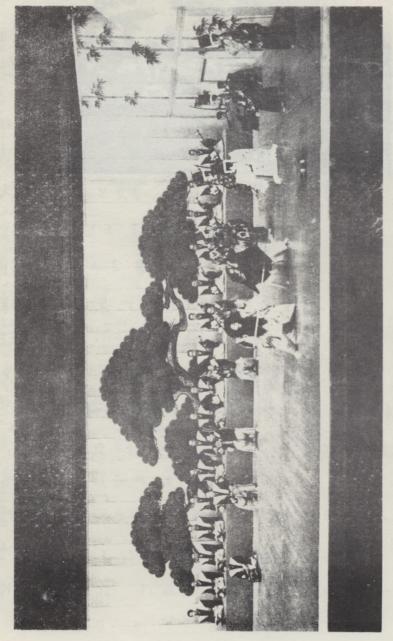
Noh drama, Japan's traditional mask-play



室町時代から江戸時代にかけて作られたとい う狂言の面だけで 120 数種類ある (楽屋で)



文樂"一場面



Scene from the Kabuki drama "Funa-Benkei" with "Hayashi-kata" in the background.



A scene from a Kabuki play, traditional Japanese theater

#### В. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 日本の演劇には古典としてどんなのがありますか。
- 近代豪リとしてどんなのか。ありますか。
- 大衆家りとしてどんなのがありますか。
- 能はでこでう軍じられますか。
- 能はでんな家」ですか。 5.
- 党の音楽というのは何ですか。
- 狂言というのは何ですか。
- 文楽というのはどんなものですか。 8.
- 9.
- 最も大家に愛好されているのは何ですか。
- 新派というのは何ですか。 11.
- 新劇というのはどんなものですか。
- 新国家していうのはどんなものですか。 13.
- 新国劇はだれの創立したものですか。 14.

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

## 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) Japanese drama in general
  - (2) Noh Play
  - (3) KABUKI Play
  - (4) Japanese musical instruments

### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise:
- 1. Q: What kind of Japanese drama is there?
  - A: 古典义17能、狂言、文梨、歌舞伎などがあり、 近代象)217新新、大歌家)217新派、 新国家、軽演劇、少女歌家)などがあります。
- 2. Q: Where is the Noh play performed?
  - A: 屋根のある専用舞台でラリンラれます。
- 3. Q: What is a Noh play?
  A: 仮面を使って脚本、音楽、演技などに独特の様式を備えた歌舞劇です。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - 4. Q: 日本の演劇の中で最も大衆に愛好されているものは何ですか。
  - 5. Q: What is so-called new drama?

A: It is Kabuki.

A: 明治にはいってから西洋演劇の影響によって出来たもので、日本の歌舞伎でもなければ新派でもないのです。西洋のドラマを日本語で上演したものです。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI

KANJI	Stroke Order	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
	& Radical		udal ei il ia
783	3 /8 14 3	エン エン(じる)(する)	EN: EN (jiru)(zuru): to enact; to perform
784	沙沙沙沙	<u>カ</u> うた うた(う)	KA: uta: song uta(u): to sing  歌舞劇 kabugeki: operatic play
785	分枝	ケケケッ	KA: KE: kari: temporary; provisional  (反面 <u>kamen</u> : mask
786	<b>冷静</b>	ヒ" そな(える)	BI: sona(eru): be prepared for; make preparation for; be equipped with; possess
纽外	See Les 117	. <u>7"</u> \$ (5)	BU: ma(u): to dance  記舞伎 <u>kabuki</u> : kabuki drama

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# D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

# 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
楽	See Les 112	ラクガウ たの(しい)	RAKU: comfort GAKU: music tano(shii): happy; pleasant ongaku: music
苦苦	See Les 68	* よ3こ(3ご)	KI: yoroko(bu): rejoice; be happy 基據] kigeki: comedy

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

### 2. Exercises:

a. Write the underlined words in Kanji.

(1) 日本では十一月二十三日は \_\_\_\_\_\_

カンシャの日とされています。

(2) 排の節句には女の子はひなーニンギョウ

をかざります。

(3) \_\_\_\_\_ は 日本人に とっては、一年中で"

最も大切な日です。

(4) 憲法 \_\_\_\_\_ は日本では

全国的のサイジツとされています。

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.

- (1) 歌舞伎
- (2) 演 暴!
- (3) 音楽

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- (4) 喜豪]
- (5) 能は仮面を使って演じられます。
- (6) 独特の様式を備えています。

### E. Cultural Notes

### 1. Noh Drama

Noh is the oldest of the three major forms of classical Japanese drama. It traces its origin to the 13th century when various rituals and religious dances of the preceding eras were integrated and developed. Noh reached its present form in the early 15th century.

The Noh may be described as a solemn operatic performance consisting of <a href="HAYASHI">HAYASHI</a> (music) and dancing, accompanied by the recitation of <a href="UTAI">UTAI</a>, masks being used in the chief roles <a href="SHITE">SHITE</a> and <a href="TSURE">TSURE</a>, to indicate the characters portrayed. The <a href="UTAI">UTAI</a>, or recitative chants, form an integral part of the Noh and are as old as the original <a href="SARUGAKU">SARUGAKU</a>. The Noh treat mostly of historical subjects and are strongly tinged with Buddhist views of life owing to the influence exercised by priests in their composition.

The stage of the Noh plays is characteristic in style and a brief description of it is necessary, as many of its elements appear in the KABUKI drama. It is 27 feet in width and 18 feet in depth, and is covered

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

with a roof like that of a Shintoo shrine, supported by pillars at the four corners. Adjoining the stage on the left, as we face it, is a corridor connecting the stage with the greenroom, by which the actors enter or leave the stage and which is also used for part of the action of the drama. The sides of the stage are open and at the back is painted an idealized pine tree symbolic of the time when the Noh were performed outdoors on a lawn before a shrine with pine trees as a background.

Before the play begins, the orchestra seat themselves on the floor at the back of the stage facing the
audience. The instruments used are hand drums, flutes,
and larger drums. When the orchestra have taken up
their position, the members of the chorus file in through
a small door to the right of the stage and kneel in two
rows on the right. The actors speak their individual
parts, while the explanatory portions of the drama are
chanted by the chorus.

# 2. KYOOGEN (Comic Interlude)

With the development of the Noh, there appeared a

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

of the comic element in the old SARUGAKU. The KYOOGEN are one-act comic interludes generally performed on the same stage as the Noh plays and in the intervals between the more serious Noh plays. Their purpose is to relax the strain on the nerves of the audience produced by the solemn Noh performances. The KYOOGEN are the only plays of old Japan which have no musical accompaniment and resemble European dramas in form.

## 3. JOORURI

Jooruri are dramatic ballads, written generally in alternate seven and eight syllabled lines, and sung or chanted to the music of the samisen. Their origin is traced to a palace attendant named Ono-no-Otsuu, who lived at the end of the 16th century and composed a dramatic ballad called Jooruri-hime Monogatari (Story of Lady Jooruri). This ballad recited the love affairs of the famous warrior Yoshitsune and a fictitious heroine of supreme beauty named Jooruri. It was set to music by Sawazumi-Kengyoo, who used the samisen for the first

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

time for the musical accompaniment. This innovation enjoyed great popularity and henceforward this style of chanting came to be known as jooruri.

## 4. GIDAYUU

Towards the close of the 17th century, a great

jooruri chanter, Takemoto Gidayuu (1651-1714), rose to

fame in Osaka. He had a powerful voice of good tone and
his style of chanting jooruri differed from that in vogue.

His fame gradually spread throughout Japan, and, as time
passed, his school gained so many disciples that at last
almost all jooruri reciters adopted his style and the
jooruri itself became the Gidayuu.

The great popularity of the Gidayuu school was largely owing to the excellent jooruri written by Chikamatsu Monzaemon, who has already been referred to as a writer for the Kabuki theater. Chikamatsu wrote more than one hundred dramas, historical and domestic.

# 5. Bunraku

The puppet drama is a synthetic art, combining the

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

manipulation of the puppets, the singing of the choruses, and the playing of the accompaniment.

Today puppet plays are occasionally performed in Tokyo. In Osaka there is a puppet theater called the Bunraku-za-the only theater of its kind in Japan-which is said to have been established by an amateur jooruri chanter named Uemura Bunrakuken, about one hundred years ago.

The puppets are of two kinds, small and large, the small not more than one foot high and operated from above with strings, which are assumed to be invisible, and the large ones at least two-thirds of life-size. When worked by skillful operators they have for the audience all the appearance of human beings. Each puppet requires one operator-in-chief and two assistants. The chief operator is generally very gaily apparelled, but the assistants wear black hoods and robes to make them inconspicuous. The operator-in-chief wears high clogs to give them the extra height necessary for holding the figure upright.

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

### 6. KABUKI

As the Noh drama developed under the fostering care of the feudal daimyoo, it became too aristocratic and solemn for the common people to find any entertainment in it. There was, thus, a great tendency for a popular stage art to appear, and it was the KABUKI drama which met the demand. It developed into its present form in the 17th century. In its earliest days, it was performed by a troupe of women and later women were banned by the Shogunate to take part. Since, it has crystallized into its present form and it has been performed exclusively by men.

In 1960, a troupe including many of Japan's leading KABUKI actors toured the United States as part of the Japan-United States Centennial celebration.

## 7. SHIMPA (New School)

Serving as a bridge between the KABUKI and the modern drama in the Western style is a group called Shimpa, which was founded toward the end of the 19th century.

Shimpa has its roots in the Kabuki tradition--originally,

# E. Cultural Notes, continued.

for instance, it was performed only by male actors--but it is now a distinct form of its own with a natural style of acting. The action is usually set among the common people and the cast includes actresses as well as actors.

# 8. Shingeki (New Drama)

number of theatrical troupes. These first appeared about thirty years ago and today command a considerable following, especially among younger people. Their repertoire is extremely wide, ranging from the classics of such masters as Shakespeare, Moliere, Ibsen, and Chekhov to modern plays by contemporary playwrights, both Japanese and foreign.

The kinds and percentage of public performances given at the principal theaters in Tokyo and Kansai cities in 1950 were as follows:

Bunraku	8%
Kabuki	37%
Shimpa	27%
Shingeki	15%

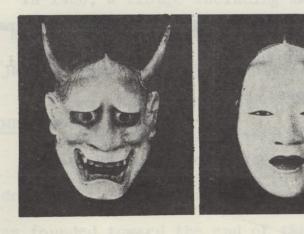
## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

Light Musical Plays 3%
Opera and Girls' Opera 10%

# 9. Noh Masks

Collecting Noh masks can become a novel and interesting hobby. These masks hung on the walls will enliven a room and provide a fertile topic of conversation. They can also be sent to friends as unique presents.

In the Noh, masks were originally used instead of makeup. Some of them have been carved by renowned artisans and are rare works of art. OKINA (old man), young man, beautiful woman, and HANNYA (demon) are some of the more familiar types of Noh masks.







### F. Homework

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- 4. Read the Cultural Notes.

# G. Word List

演	家门	
古	典	
能		
狂	声	
人形	净瑠璃	
近代	家门	
新	家门	
大衆	家门	
新	派	
新国	原刻	
軽 :	寅 蒙!	
少女	歌劇	
專	1利	
ラ寅	l" 3	
万反	面	
肤口	本	
音	<b></b>	

演技歌舞劇

engeki	play; drama	
koten	classics; classical drama	
Noo	Noh play	
kyoogen	Noh comedy	
ningyoo jooruri	puppet ballad drama	
kindaigeki	modern drama	
shingeki	new drama	
taishuugeki	popular drama	
shimpa	new school (play)	
shinkokugeki	Shinkoku drama	
kei-engeki	light drama	
shoojo kageki	young girls opera	
sen-yoo	exclusive	
enjiru	perform; play	
kamen	mask	
kyakuhon	script; scenario; play	
ongaku	music	
engi	acting; performance	

opera; operatic play

kabugeki

# G. Word List, continued.

it & to square	hayashi	orchestra; musical accompanist
うたい	utai	chanting
~	butai	stage
喜劇的な	kigekiteki na	comic
義太夫節	gidayuu-bushi	GIDAYUU recital
净瑠璃	jooruri	ballad drama
爱好 i3	aikoo suru	love; fond of
伴奏	bansoo	accompaniment
長唄	Nagauta	Nagauta music
三味線	samisem	Japanese musical instrument (Shamisen)
つかさどる	tsukasadoru	conduct; take charge of
從未	juurai	up to now; heretofore
対立する	tairitsu suru	be opposed to
発生する	hassei suru	come into existence; spring up
1日 51仪	kyuuha	old school
俗称至此多	zokushoo sareru	be commonly called
ト"ラマ	dorama	drama
上演する	jooen suru	present; put on the stage

## G. Word List, continued.

家门团	gekidan	dramatic company; troupe
实] 寡]	kengeki	sword-fighting play
<b>急</b> 女台	sooshi	creation; origination
メロドラマ	merodorama	melodrama
ねらい	nerai	aim

# A. Narration

あ 文化がアジア大陸から伝えられた。 金属器と弥生式上器とよばれる上器 3 た時代から始まっている。 日 縄文土器と言う。 本 の原始時代の文化は 土器の 紀元前二世紀前 表面に 縄文式土器が使 とを もったいわ 縄力 後のころ、 目× yp 多玩生式 われ

八世紀ごろは仏像彫刻の黄金時代と言われている。 発達し、中でも法隆寺は世界最古の木造建築物とされている。 伝教が日本に伝来してから寺院 仏閣の建 十一世紀

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净土教の隆盛に伴い、阿弥陀堂が多く

Narration, continued. 庶当 発 問多等 ŧ is 樣 民生活や風俗、俳優の姿風景などを豊かな色彩 到では仏像馬到に代って になった る様になった。 様式が発達した。絵画では大和絵や絵巻物が 浮世絵 又この時代 貴族の 十四世紀八 平等院鳳凰堂もこの時代に建てられた 始を見 はいってか 能面が問 1: 住宅 のは十七世紀の中ごうで らは 建築として浸敷造り 墨絵が全盛をそれ 刻界を代表する ŧ

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# A. Narration, continued.

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富力

数三十六景で有名な北斎

東海道五十三次で有名

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有名な

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てえがいたものである。

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名なな

大家は、美人画で

重なでである れらの 世絵の多くは 水 版》 画 2

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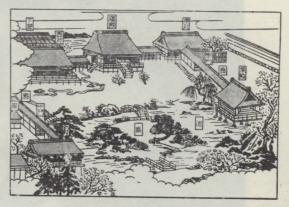




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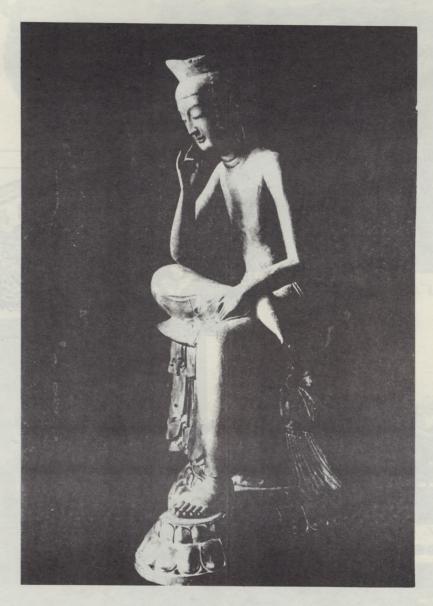
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"Phoenix Hall" of the Byodoin Temple, Ull 宇治の平等院鳳凰堂



末造の仏像



A Yama image, a National Treasure, engraved by Unkei, one of the best sculptors in the Kamakura Era (12 century).



A Buddha image sculptured in the Kamakura period.



"Kyoto," by Hiroshige



# 21. HIROSHIGE & TOYOKUNI III

From the series entitled "Joint Works of the Fiftythree Tokaido Way-stations." Two artists drew the prints. Here Hiroshige's contribution was the landscape at the top, showing the Kanazawa road as seen from Hodogaya and Mt. Fuji appearing at the horizon. Toyokuni III (usually referred to nowadays by his earlier name, Kunisada) drew the two Tokaido travelers in the lower part of the print: a woman and her palanquin, left, and a young boy pilgrim with his beggingscoop, right.

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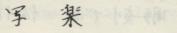


Woodblock print of Mt. Fuji by Hokusai



The "Red Fuji" by Hokusai/





## B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えなさい。

- 1. 日本の原始時代の文化は、いつごろから始まっていますか。
- 2. 縄文式土器と言うのは、どんな土器ですか。
- 3. 弥生式文化はいつごろ、どこから伝えられましたか。
- 4. 世界最古の木造建築物は何ですか。
- 5. 伝教が日本に伝来してから、何が発達しましたか。
- 6. 八世紀ごろは、何の黄金時代と言われていますか。
- 7. 浄土教の隆盛に伴って何が多く建てられる様になりましたか。
- 8. 十一世紀ごう建てられた有名な寺院は何ですか。
- 9. この時代、貴族の住宅としてどんな様式の建築が発達しましたか。
- 10. この時代、絵画ではどんなのが発達しましたか。
- 11. 墨絵が全盛をきわめたのは、いつごろですか。
- 12. 十四世紀には彫刻では仏像彫刻に代って

- B. Audio-Lingual Drill, continued.
- 13. 浮世絵の創始を見たのは、いつごろですか。
- 14. 浮世絵とは どんな絵ですか.
- 15. 美人画の大家はだれでしたか。
- 16. 役者の似類絵で有名なのは、だれですか。
- 17. 北斎は何で有名ですか。
- 18. 広重は何で有名ですか。

(1) Or What is the oldest wooden structure in the

A: 法经专业业外最后的未进建築线(

(2) O: What developed after Buddhism was introduced

A: 寺院 (A) 随《建立》、荣建(1111.

(3) 'Q; When did the black and white drawing attain

the highest stage of prosperity?

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C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

## 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) Japanese paintings and drawings.
  - (2) Japanese sculpture.
  - (3) Japanese architecture.

#### 2. Exercises:

- a. Interpretation Exercise.
- (1) Q: What is the oldest wooden structure in the world?
  - A: 法隆寺が世界最古の木造建築物でされています。
- (2) Q: What developed after Buddhism was introduced to Japan?
  - A: 寺院、仏閣の建立が発達しました。
- (3) Q: When did the black and white drawing attain the highest stage of prosperity?
  - A: それは十四世紀にはいってからです。

Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.

(4)	Q:	What ki	nd of	drawing is	Ukiyoe?		
	A:	海底民の	生活	*風俗	俳優	の姿、	風景
		などを	豊か	な色彩を	もってえ	がいた	ものです。

(5) Q: Who was famous for thirty-six scenes of Mt. Fuji?

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metal; money

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI:

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D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

# 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
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# D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

# 2. Exercises: A galassM galbass relate exercises: LIMAX

- a. Write the underlined words in Kanji.

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- (2) 能は \_\_\_\_\_をかぶって \_\_\_\_いられます。
- (3) 狂言は \_\_\_\_\_ 的なものです。
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_ が 好きです.

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 仏教の隆盛に伴い、寺院の建立が発達しました。
    - (2)八世紀は彫刻の黄金時代と言われています。
- (3) 浮世絵の創始を見たのは十七世紀の中ごろです。
  - (4) 豊かな 色彩 をもって えがかれて います.

#### E. Cultural Notes

## 1. Japanese Painting

Previous to the introduction of Buddhism the art of painting in Japan had made but little progress. It was from China that Japan derived her first great inspiration in art, along with her first lessons in Buddhism, and naturally, therefore, her first efforts in art were of a religious nature.

Japanese painting entered upon a stage of great development in the Heian Period (784-1192). A notable development of the period was the progress made by secular art as distinguished from religious painting. This may be seen in the NISE-E or portraits and in the scrolls illustrating stories (EMAKIMONO). One of the most celebrated of the latter is the series by Takayoshi, illustrating the GENJI MONOGATARI, a novel written by Murasaki Shikibu, a celebrated authoress of the Heian Period. The demand for landscape paintings grew in the Heian Period and many scenes from nature were painted on the sliding doors of the Imperial Palace and on folding screens. The decline of Chinese influence during the period is also to be noted,

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

the development of Japanese art culminating in the Kamakura

Period in the creation of a purely Japanese style (YAMATO-E)

in contradistinction to the Chinese style (KARAE).

The Kamakura Period (1192-1333) may be regarded as an extension of the Heian Period, with its technique polished and refined. Both the secular and religious paintings of this period show an improvement in artistic quality, and the Japanese style gradually came to perfection.

The middle of the Kamakura Period had already seen the rise of the Chinese style, and, in the Muromachi Period (1333-1573), it was in a flourishing condition, side by side with the Tosa school, which was producing great masters like Yukimitsu, Yukihiro, and Mitsunobu. But Mitsunobu was the last of the masters of YAMATO-E, for from that time this style began to decline.

SUMI-E, the delicate style of brush painting with black ink, was developed in the Muromachi Period (1333-1573). It originated with the Buddhists of the Zen sect who were familiar with the art of the Chinese Ming Dynasty.

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

The Momoyama Period (1573-1603), which followed, was a time of transition. It was also a period of great artistic sophistication. Artists expressed themselves in bright colors and elaborate designs. Gorgeous folding screens were introduced.

The <u>Ukiyo-e</u> school first made its appearance in the early days of the Edo Period (1603-1867). It aimed at depicting the social life of the day, particularly of the lower classes. It is somewhat different from the socialled genre pictures which had been in vogue much earlier, being principally the work of artists of the YAMATO-E school, who were fond of painting historic scenes. The genre pictures were intended for the delectation of the upper strata of society, not for the populace. The <u>Ukiyoe</u> school, on the other hand, aimed at providing scenes of daily life for the lower classes in the form, at first, of illustrations for story books, and later of independent prints.

It is indeed difficult to select any single individual as the originator of <u>Ukiyo-e</u>, but Hishikawa

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

Moronobu, who appeared in the Genroku age (1688-1703), was the first great master who contributed to the development of the Ukiyo-e school. Most of Moronobu's pictures were drawn for engraving on wood-blocks, but he also left some excellent paintings, an examination of which makes it clear that he must have first studied the Tosa and Kanoo styles before working out his own style. As the production of color-prints progressed, Ukiyo-e grew more popular, especially in Edo. Suzuki Harunobu (1724-1770) specialized in the production of Azuma Nishikie, and after him came Kitagawa Utamaro, Saitoo Sharaku, Utagawa Toyokuni, Katsushika Hokusai, and Andoo Hiroshige, all of whom won great popularity for their color-prints.

# 2. Sculpture

The art of sculpture in Japan, previous to the Meiji Era, was practically confined to the carving of Buddhist images, although images of national deities and portrait statuary were occasionally produced. The powerful influence which Buddhism had begun to exercise is shown by the specimens of sculpture in the Nara Period (710-784)

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

that have come down to the present time. Foremost among the excellent works of the period is the colossal figure of Buddha in the Toodaiji Temple at Nara, known as the "Nara no Daibutsu," a work which was completed in 749 A.D.

Japanese sculpture made a fair growth in the

Nara and Heian Period, but it attained its highest realistic

development in technique in the Kamakura Period, when it

freed itself from Chinese influence. The age produced

many great sculptors, Unkei, Kaikei, and Tankei being most

influential. The Nioo (two Deva Kings) who guard the

Nandaimon Gate of the Toodaiji Temple are said to be the

joint productions of Unkei and Kaikei.

Much progress was also made in the art of casting bronze images. The Great Buddha of Kamakura is eloquent proof of this fact.

The Kamakura Period may be regarded as the golden age of the art of sculpture in Japan, and practically no further development in this field was found later. The Muromachi period which followed witnessed the rise of the Zen-shuu sect of Buddhism, which does not attach so much

# E. Cultural Notes, continued.

importance to the production of fine images as the other sects. It was natural, therefore, that religious sculpture should fall into decay, a decay which continued into the Momoyama and Edo Period, when the only activity in this form of art was the carving of masks for the Noh drama.

However, for the decline of religious sculpture after the Muromachi Period there was some compensation in the rise of decorative sculpture for architectural purposes. The handsome palaces built in the period brought into being what was known as "temple carving," this being the carving of human figures, birds, animals, flowers, etc., in the form of pictorial designs. Among the temple carvers, Hidari Jingoroo is most popular.

The sculptural art during the Edo Period was in the hands of mere craftsmen and not of artists in the strict sense of the term. With the advent of the Meiji Era came a turning point in the history of Japanese sculpture which resulted from the introduction of Westernstyle technique, the invitation of able Western artists and various other factors.

#### F. Homework

- 1. Study the Narration thoroughly and memorize the vocabulary.
- 2. Read the Guide for Free Conversation and do the exercises given.
- 3. Learn to read and write the new Kanji.
- 4. Read the Cultural Notes

# G. Word List

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genshi jidai	primitive age
kaiga	drawings; paintings
joomon-shiki	straw-rope pattern
doki	earthenware
yayoi-shiki	Yayoi style
monyoo	pattern
koodai	posterity
chookekukai niii	Buddhist temple
bukkaku seoyidu	Buddhist temple
konryuu alasuv	construction
mokuzoo kenchikubutsu	wooden building; wooden structure
butsuzoo	image of Buddha
chookoku	carving; sculpture
oogon jidai	golden age
joodokyoo	Joodo sect
ryuusei	prosperity
amida-doo	Amida hall
kizoku	nobility
kenchiku	construction
shinden-zukuri	Shinden-form of architecture

# G. Word List, continued.

大和絵	yamato-e	Yamato-e painting; picture representing things Japanese
绘卷物	emakimono	picture scroll
墨絵	sumie Mob	black and white drawing; Indian-ink drawing
全盛をきわめる	zensei o kiwameru	attain the highest stage of prosperity
能面	noomen	Noh mask
彫刻界	chookokukai	sculpture circle
浮世絵	ukiyo-e	genre picture
豊かな	yutaka na	rich
色彩	shikisai	color
えがく	egaku	draw; paint
大家	taika	great master; authority
美人画。如如如	bijinga ango	drawing of beautiful girls
化义 彦夏 絵	nigao-e	portrait
富徽	Fuugaku	Mt. Fuji
三十六景	sanjuu rokkei	36 scenes
東海道五十三次	Tookaidoo gojuu- san tsugi	53 stages on the Tookaidoo highway

# G. Word List, continued.

木版画	mokuhanga	wood-block printing
文化	bunka	culture; civilization
表面	hyoomen	surface
和 目	nawame	impression of straw rope; bonds
紀元前	kigen-zen	B. C.
前後	zengo	about; approximately
金属器	kinzokuki	metal ware
いわゆる	iwayuru	so-called

# Narration

A. 修 茶 茶 お 練し、交際礼法を修得する 室に招いて、扶茶を立てて 道というのは茶の湯の道で、それを通じて 行 花器にさし、その中に自然の美を表わす芸術であって 日 な 本の伝 为北 道というの 統芸術として 州流なでがある。 花の道であって、 湯の流派には表 事である。現在では、 すすめる女子の 客

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# Narration, continued.

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# B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてください。

- 1. 日本の伝統芸術としてどんなものがありますか。
- 2. 茶道というのは何ですか。
- 3. 今日ではおもにといんなに行なわれていますか。
- 4. 茶の湯の流派にはどんなのがありますか。
- 5. 草道というのは何ですか。
- 6。 華道のおもな流派にはどんなのがありますか。
- 7。 活花の様式には どんなのが ありますか.
- 8. 盆栽はどんな芸術ですか。
- 9. 盆栽は日本の創始した芸術ですか.
- 10。盆栽はおもに室吹の観賞物でするものですか。
- 11. 盆栽は近年では外国にも進出しましたか。
- 12. 合衆国ではしばしば、展覧会が開催されますか。

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

#### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) The tea ceremony.
    - (2) Flower arrangement.
  - (3) Bonsai.

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise.
- (1) Q: What is the art of the tea ceremony?
  A: 精神を修練し、交際礼法を修得する
- 事です。
- (2) Q: For what purpose is the tea ceremony performed today?
  - A: 現在では客を茶室に招いて扶茶を 立ててすすめる女子の作法として行なわれて います。
- (3) Q: What is the art of flower arrangement?
  - A: 木の枝や草花などを花器にさし、その中に自然の美を表わす芸術です。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (4) Q: Is the art of Bonsai very popular in the United States?
    - A: はい、近年では米国人も盆栽に趣味を持つ様になり、展覧会がしばしば"開催されています。
  - (5) Q: What are the traditional arts of Japan?
    A: 茶道、華道、盆栽などです。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI:

KANJI	Stroke Order	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
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791	茶東	レン ね(3)	REN: ne(ru): to knead; to temper; to train; to polish up 小方律 shuuren: training
792 台貝	小说。	<u>&gt;</u> 3 7	SHOO: prize; award; reward  作見賞する kanshoo suru: admire; enjoy
作	See Les 36	サクサーフく(3)	SAKU: SA: tsuku(ru): to make; to cultivate   大手 法 sahoo: etiquette; manners
东元	See Les 122	ソ"ク つつ"(<)	ZOKU: tsuzu(ku): to continue  才等続する jizoku suru: to continue; maintain; to sustain

D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.

## 2. Exercises:

a. Write the underlined words in Kanji.

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(4) 墨絵が	セ"ンセイ	きわめたの	14

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 現在では茶の湯はおもに

女子の作法として行なわれています。

- (2) 盆栽は室内の観賞物とします。
- (3) 精神を修練する。
- (4) 長く生命を持続させる。

# E. Cultural Notes

# 1. Tea Ceremony bus assurates gaiwolfol add bask of

The ceremony, referred to as CHANOYU in Japan. is an aesthetic pastime peculiar to Japan that features the serving and drinking of MATCHA, a powdered green tea. This ceremony, which dates back to the 15th century, is something more than a refined form of taking refreshment. Its purpose and essence are difficult to express in words. It will be helpful to remember that the ceremony was developed under the influence of Zen Buddhism, the aim of which is, in simple terms to purify one's soul by becoming one with nature. In addition, CHANOYU is an embodiment of the Japanese people's intuitive striving for recognition of true beauty in plainness and simplicity. Such terms as calmness, rusticity, gracefulness, or the phrase "aestheticism of austere simplicity and refined poverty," may help to define the true spirit of CHANOYU. For instance, the strict canons of CHANOYU etiquette, which may seem to be burdensome and meticulous at first glance, are in fact minutely calculated to achieve the highest possible economy of movement and indeed is pleasing for the initiated to witness, especially

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

when performed by experienced masters.

CHANOYU has played an important role in the artistic life of the Japanese people, since, as an aesthetic pursuit, it involves the appreciation of the room in which it is held, the garden attached to the room, the utensils used in serving the tea, and the decor of the setting, such as a hanging scroll or an <a href="ikebana">ikebana</a>. The development of Japan's architecture, landscape gardening, ceramics and the floral arts, therefore, owes a great deal to the tea ceremony. It should be noted that, throughout all these and other artistic elements connected with <a href="CHANOYU">CHANOYU</a>, there prevails that love of simplicity which is characteristic of the Japanese people.

Furthermore, the development of daily manners of the majority of the Japanese have been basically influenced by formalities such as those observed in the CHANOYU ceremony. As a result, it is rather common practice for young ladies before marriage to take lessons in the art in order to cultivate the poise and refinement stemming from CHANOYU etiquette.



The traditional tea ceremony



The traditional tea ceremony



Tea ceremony







1.	茶碗	(chawan)	o est	tea bowl
2.	茶入れ	(chaire)	OFFEE	tea caddy
3.	茶筅	(chasen)	-	bamboo tea whisk
4.	茶杓	(chashaku)	a Zuri	bamboo spoon
5.	釜	(kama)	Edd	kettle

#### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

## 2. Flower Arrangement

The art of arranging flowers known as IKEBANA is an aesthetic attainment unique to the Japanese people. Although historians dispute the origin of the art, it is true that the institution has been developed to its present stage of accomplishment purely as a native cult in this country independent of all outside influences. It is said that the practice of flower arrangement is believed to have originated in India with the worship of Buddha, before whose image it was the custom to offer flowers. Another record says that it was first practiced by Prince Shootoku Taishi (573-621), who through a vision instructed the art of flower arrangement to Ono-no-Imoko, who is regarded as the founder of the IKENOBOO school, at the Rokkakudoo Temple in Kyoto. Some people also believe that the small tearoom within the Ginkakuji or Silver Pavillion in Kyoto is the birthplace of the floral art in Japan.

Today there are more than 300 different schools of flower arrangement, which may be divided into two main branches, the formal and the natural. To the formal belongs

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

that form known as <u>RIKKA</u> or the standing style, from which sprang a popular form called the TEN-CHI-JIN or "heaven-earth-man" style, and to the natural belongs that style knows as the <u>NAGEIRE</u> or the thrown-in style.

The fundamental principles followed in the arrangement of flowers in the formal style, whatever form the arrangement may take or to whatever school the person arranging them may belong are three: the Leading Principles (Heaven), the Subordinate Principle (Earth), and the Reconciling Principle (Man). Any flower arrangement which does not embody these principles is considered barren and dead.

Another important point consists in treating the flowers from three different aspects, according to the nature of the flower, the place in which it is to be put, and the shape of the vase.

In decorating the alcove with flowers, they must be arranged so as not to hide the hanging scroll. If the scroll shows mountain scenery, flowers which grow in marshes or by river banks should be selected, but if the

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scroll shows flowering plants, flowering branches should be chosen for the vase.



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Nageire Arrangement



Moribana Arrangement

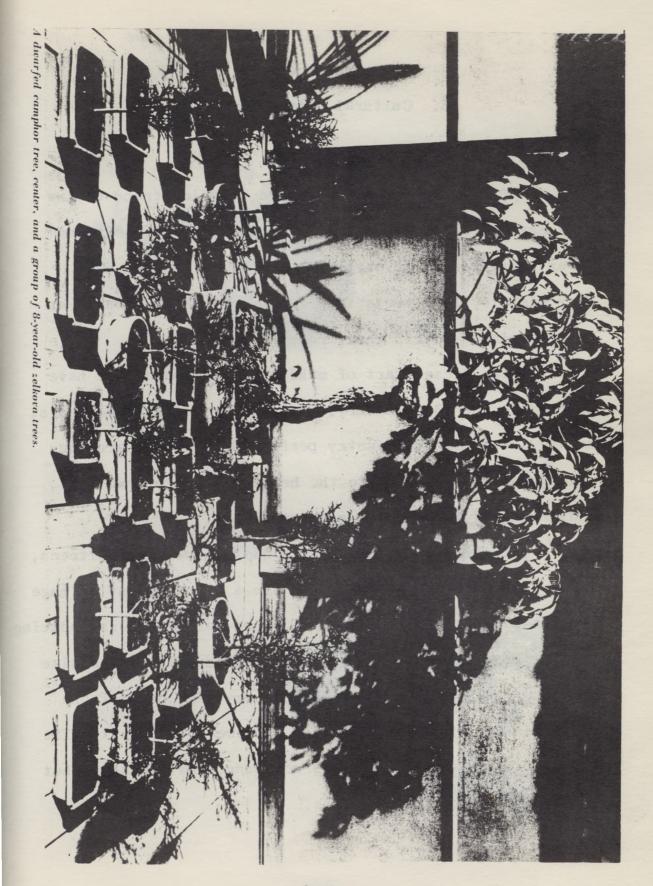
## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

## 3. Bonsai

Bonsai is a product of the peculiar trend of the Japanese people to love nature and also to be fascinated by anything minute in size. Their love of nature made them wish to plant trees in pots so that their beauty can be appreciated within their rooms or garden.

The present art of making <u>bonsai</u> is said to have started in the 13th century. In these seven hundred years, nature lovers of the country perfected an art of keeping a hundred-year-old tree to the height of one or two feet, and making it look like a giant tree.

Looking at a pot planted with a few slender trees, about six inches high, one would see a great forest of huge trees before him. Bonsai is, in short, an art of reproducing natural plants and scenes in small potted areas. The size of bonsai varies, ranging from the very tiny ones of one or two inches in height to those of five or six feet. The value of a bonsai, however, is not judged by its size, but by the naturalness it presents.

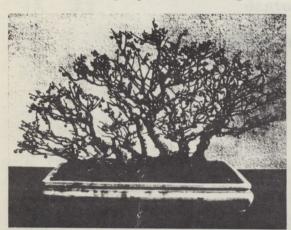




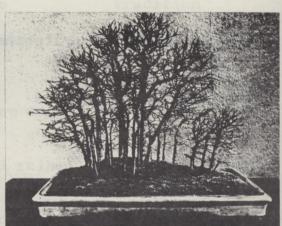
A 250-year-old juniper tree, 60 cm high, left, and a 20-year-old juniper tree, 20 cm high.



Holly trees, 50 years old and 50 cm high.



Holly trees, 45 years old and 25 cm high.



A group of zelkova trees, 35 years old and 35 cm high.



A dwarfed hawthorn, 60 years old and 45 cm high.



Pine trees, 80 years old and 55 cm high.

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## G. Word List

茶 道	chadoo	tea ceremony; tea
華道	kadoo	art of flower arrangement
盆 栽	bonsai	potted plant
伝 系	dentoo	tradition
茶の湯	cha-no-yu	tea ceremony
道	michi	art; teaching
小参練する	shuuren suru	practice; train; drill
交際礼法	koosai reihoo	social etiquette; social code
修得する	shuutoku suru	learn; acquire
茶室	chashitsu	tea-ceremony room (house)
扶茶	matcha	powdered tea
茶を立てる	cha o tateru	make tea; fix tea
すすめる	susumeru	offer
作法	sahoo	manners; etiquette
洛 man a milent	kyaku	guest
三荒 派	ryuuha	school

# G. Word List, continued.

草花	kusabana	flowering plant; flower
花器	kaki	flower vase
t , the beaten	sasu	insert; put in
立花	rikka	standing style arrangement
なげ入れ	nageire	thrown-in style
生花	seika	natural flower
もり花	moribana	flower arranged in the basket (basin)
草木	kusaki	trees and plants
金本 ************************************	hachi	pot
生育する	seiiku suru	grow; rain
培養	baiyoo	cultivation
矯 姿	kyooshi	training of shape; correction of shape
持続核	jizoku suru	maintain; suppose
生命	seimei omas	1ife A
室水	shitsunai	inside a room
観賞物	kanshoobutsu	object of admiration
進出する	shinshutsu suru	advance into; find one's way into
展覧会	tenrankai	exhibition; exhibit

G. Word List, continued.

開催する

kaisai suru

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合衆国

gasshuukoku

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いたので、この間日本は政治、経済、教育なであらゆる

# Narration

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# Narration, continued.

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## B. Audio-Lingual Drill

# 日本語で次の質問に答えてくだざい。

- 1. 日本は何年に連合軍に降伏しましたか。
- 2. 何の管理下にあかれましたか.
- 3. なせ"アメリカ式の民主化がすすめられたのですか。
- 4. 対日平和条約が発効したのはいっですか、
- 5. 日米安保条約が締結されたのはいつですか。
- 6. その翌年二月に何が調印されましたか。
- 7. この二条約はでんな働きをしましたか。
- 8. これらの条約の外におもなものを二三あげてください。
- 9. 日米航空協定はいつ結ばれましたか。
- 10. この日米航空協定はでんなものでしたか。
- 11. 日本側では何を希望していましたか。
- 12. 日米航空協定改定の交渉が開始されたのはいつですか。
- 13. いつこの協定が改正されましたか。
- 14. ニューヨークに日の丸の翼がお自見得したのはいつですか。
- 15. ニューヨーケからロンドンへの航路が開始されるのはいつですか。

C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise

### 1. Topics:

- a. Talk about the following topics in Japanese with your classmates.
  - (1) The U.S.-Japan Security Pact
  - (2) The U.S.-Japan Air Agreement
    - (3) Japan's surrender to Allied Forces

#### 2. Exercise:

- a. Interpretation Exercise
- (1) Q: Was America the main constituent of GHQ?
  A: はい、連合軍総司令部は アメリカを主体
  としていました。
- (2) Q: While Japan was placed under the control of GHQ, what kind of influence did Japan receive?
  - A: 日本は政治、経済、教育など あらゆる 面で、アメリカの強い影響を受けました。
- (3) Q: When did Japan regain her independence?

  A: 一九五二年 四月二十八日、対日平和条約 か。
  発効して、日本は 独立を回復しました。

- C. Guide for Free Conversation and Exercise, continued.
  - (4) Q: What kind of agreement was the first United States-Japan Air Agreement?
    - A: 日本側はアメリカ西海岸のサンフランシスコ、ロスアンセ"ルスまでの果り入れしか認められない不平等なものた"と言っていました。
  - (5) Q: What did Japan desire?
    - A: アメリカ大陸を横断して、ニューヨーク、 さらにヨーロッパへの航路開設を 希望しました。

# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI: A sala esa da emesaga 3a bala dadu ep (b)

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	-		to decline 横断する oodan suru:
			to cross; to
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797	2×	+	<u>KI</u> : rare; desire
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力	111		hope; wish;
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# D. Exercises in Writing System

# 1. KANJI

KANJI	Stroke Order & Radical	Reading	Meaning & Compounds
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T	See Les 20	カケッしも さ(げる) く(だる) もと	KA: GE: shita: under shimo: below; lower reach sa(geru): to hand; to bring down ku(daru): to go down; to go down stream moto: under  kanrika: under the supervision of

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- 2. Exercises:
  - a. Write the underlined words in Kanji.

行なわれています。

- D. Exercises in Writing System, continued.
- b. Read the following sentences and give a reading for the underlined words in KATAKANA.
  - (1) 日本はポッダム宣言を受話して

連合軍に降伏し、連合軍総司令部の管理下におかれました。

- (2) 私は自動車で米大陸を横断してる。
- (3) 一九五二年四月二十八日、対日平和条約が発効しました。
- (4) 日米経济委員会.
- (5) 日本安保条約.

#### E. Cultural Notes

## 1. Foreign Policy of Japan

Under the conservative government which has been in power throughout most of the postwar period, the aim of Japanese foreign policy has been to secure prosperity and stability both at home and on international scenes.

To these ends, Japan directs its efforts in a three-fold role: as a member of the United Nations, as a member of the Free World, and as a member of the Asian community of nations.

As a member of the United Nations, Japan has pledged its wholehearted cooperation in strengthening the authority of the U. N. as the guardian of world peace.

As a member of the Free World, Japan has sought close relations of friendship with the free nations, with which it shares common political beliefs.

And, as a member of the Asian community of nations,

Japan has attached special importance to maintaining good

neighborly relations with other Asian countries.

Thus, while the problem of its defense may continue to be a matter of future discussions between the

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

United States and Japan, Japan has been seeking to consolidate its economic ties with nearly all nations, a policy which contrasts dramatically with that of the prewar Japan.

## 2. Japan-United States Security Treaty

The first Japan-United States Security Treaty was signed at the same time as the Peace Treaty on September 8, 1951. It provided for the stationing of the United States land, air, and sea forces in or around Japan, to be used in the interest of preservation of international peace in the Far East, to defend Japan and, at the request of the Japanese Government, to put down internal riots fomented from abroad. The Treaty was signed for an indefinite period.

The Treaty did not require that the United States consult Japan before deploying military forces stationed in Japan and expressly denied Japan the right to lease bases to a third power. Many Japanese were dismayed by the expectations implicit in the Treaty that Japan would rearm, which were in direct contradiction to the previous American policy of disarming Japan.

The 1951 Treaty, which was implemented by

### E. Cultural Notes, continued.

subsequent administrative agreements, became a favorite target of the leftist opposition in the Diet, who represented it as symbolizing the submission of Japan to the United States. A number of provisions of the Treaty on implementing agreements were in fact vulnerable to criticism in Japan. These were the extraterritorial character of the status of American servicemen in Japan; the provision allowing the use of American troops to quell foreigninspired riots; the absence of a time limit for the Treaty and of any explicit stipulations that Japan had to be consulted before American troops were deployed; and the provision that Japan could not enter into any military commitment with a third power while the Treaty remained in effect.

The New Treaty of Mutual Cooperation and Security was signed in Washington, D. C. on January 19, 1960. Unlike the 1951 Treaty, the 1960 Treaty provided for a ten-year limit for its operation, after which it can be revoked upon one year's notice by either party. The provision for the use of American troops in internal disturbances and

# E. Cultural Notes, continued.

the one which forbade any Japanese military agreement with third powers were omitted. The Treaty included general provisions on the further development of international cooperation and free institutions and on improved future economic cooperation.

The attack against renewal of the Treaty was

launched by the Left-wing Socialist party and taken up by

the Communists. It was favored by the mounting tensions of

the cold war, which reached a climax in the agitation

over the U-2 incident and the failure of the summit Paris

Conference in the spring of 1960. Popular feeling was

fanned by propaganda and diplomatic pressure exercised

by the Soviet Union and Communist China which threatened

dire consequences to Japan if it allowed the continuation

of American bases on its soil.

Fear of nuclear war is another factor which works to the disadvantage of the United States in Japan and provides a major theme for the propaganda of the Communists and other anti-American elements. The only country ever subjected to nuclear bombardment, Japan has been in the

E. Cultural Notes, continued.

forefront of international campaigns to stop nuclear testing. Popular anxiety over atomic fallout was aggravated by the injuries suffered by crew members of the fishing vessel Fukuryuu Maru during the United States atomic tests in the Marshall Islands in 1954.

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

#### Treaties in Force

## 1 January 1965

## Between the United States and Japan

- 1. Agricultural Commodities
- 2. Amami Islands
- 3. Atomic Energy
- 4. Aviation
- 5. Claims

Nuclear test, AWA MARU, etc.

- 6. Consuls
- 7. Defense
- 8. Economic and Technical Aids
- 9. Education
- 10. Extradition
- 11. Finance
- 12. Fisheries
- 13. Investment Guaranties
- 14. Maritime Matters
- 15. Technical Mission
- 16. Narcotic drugs

## E. Cultural Notes, continued.

- 17. Patents
- 18. Postal matters
- 19. Property

Payment of damage caused by United States aircraft. Perpetual lease.

- 20. Publication
- 21. Satellites
- 22. Shellfish
- 23. Smuggling
- 24. Taxation
- 25. Trade and commerce
- 26. Visas

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受諾する	judaku suru	accept; agree to
降伏する	koofuku suru	surrender
連合軍	rengoogun	allied forces
総司令部	soo-shireibu	general headquarters
管理下	kanri-ka	under the control of
主体	shutai	main constituent; subject
面	men	aspect; phase
对 日	tainichi	for Japan; with Japan
翌年	yokunen	following year; next year
発 効する	hakkoo suru	become effective; take effect
独立	dokuritsu	independence
調印(する)	chooin(suru)	signing (affix one's seal; sign)
日米安全保障条約	Nichibei anzen hoshoo jooyaku	U. SJapan Security Pact
安保条約	ampo jooyaku	Security Pact
行政協定	gyoosei kyootei	administrative agreement
綿結する	teiketsu suru	conclude
日米	Nichibei	U. S. and Japan

# G. Word List, continued.

基礎づける	kisozukeru	lay foundation for
支柱 10001100010001	shichuu	support
通商条約	tsuushoo jooyaku	commercial treaty
原子力力是	genshi ryoku kyootei	atomic energy agree- ment
航空協定	kookuu kyootei	Aviation Pact (air agreement)
日米経済委員会	Nichibei Keizai Iinkai	U. SJapan economic committee
直後	chokugo	immediately after
結パ	musubu	conclude
日本例	Nippon-gawa	Japan side
某入れ	nori-ire	ride in; fly into
不平等な	fubyoodoo na	unfair; discrim- inatory
横断する	oodan suru	cross; go across
航路	kooro	route; course
希望する	kiboo suru	hope; desire
改定	kaitei	reform
申し入れ	mooshi-ire	offer; proposal
門用女台する	kaishi suru	begin; commence;

open

## G. Word List, continued.

改正する	kaisei suru	to revise, amend
同年	doonen	the same year
待望の	taiboo no	long waited
第一番機	dai-ichiban-ki	the first plane
飛び立つ	tobitatsu	to start out
日の丸	hi-no-maru	rising sun (flag)
妻—————————————————————————————————————	tsubasa	wing
お目見得する	omemie suru	to make debut, appear